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# KIDNAP RANSOM TALKS REACH CRISIS

## Britain Demands Neutrality Reply

## Reich-Italy Asked For Statement at Once on Spain

Great Britain insists two countries not later than Saturday answer proposal to ban volunteers from Iberian Peninsula

## Naval Blockade Reports in Paris

Canadian Press and Associated Press

Paris, Jan. 6.—Reports here today said that if German and Italian replies to the British demand for a non-intervention in Spain answer should be unfavorable, France and Great Britain would order a naval blockade of the Spanish coast to enforce strict neutrality.

London, Jan. 6 (Canadian Press).—Great Britain demanded today Germany and Italy answer her proposal to ban volunteers from Spain by Saturday at the latest.

Great stress was laid in diplomatic circles on what was described as the "unusual" tone of the British note, according to the Associated Press. Coincidentally with the dispatch of the note the Admiralty ordered a re-shuffling of British naval strength in Spanish waters. The manoeuvre, which would have the effect of materially strengthening the British fleet around Spain for a few days, was described, however, as "routine."

The Havas News Agency said the battleship Queen Elizabeth and the cruisers Arcturion and Devonshire had been ordered from Malta to the western Mediterranean; that officially the orders were given to aid evacuation of refugees from Spain, but that it was understood they were a precautionary measure following on recent international naval incidents in Spanish waters.

## DISPOSITION OF FORCES

The new line-up of British naval vessels in Spanish waters, according to Havas, was to be as follows:  
At Barcelona, the fleet leader Greyhound and Glowworm and the supply ship Resource; at Alicante the destroyer Griffin; at Palma de Mallorca the cruiser Arcturion, the battleship Barham and the destroyer Grenard; at Cartagena the destroyers Grafton; at Malaga the destroyer Gallant; at Tangier the battleship Hood; at Gibraltar the battleship Hood.

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## War Supply Ship Wins Congress Race

Ss. Mar Cantabrico Gets Away From New York For Spain With Planes For Loyalists While Legislators Debate Ban

Associated Press

New York, Jan. 6.—The Spanish freighter Mar Cantabrico was allowed to proceed with her cargo of war materials for Spain today after Commander J. S. Baylis, by wireless, had ordered her stopped off Sandy Hook.

A coastguard plane and a police plane flew out from Floyd Bennett Field, before they left the pilots told field officers they had orders from Washington to halt the Mar Cantabrico, heading for sea with a load of airplanes and war material for the Spanish loyalist forces.

The Mar Cantabrico had sailed for Cartagena, Spain, at 1.45 p.m. today, in her race to leave the United States with war materials before new embargo legislation could be passed in Congress.

## PLANES NOT LASHED

The vessel got away from her dock in the Red Hook section of Brooklyn with such haste that none of the

## Democracy Plea



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT  
President of the United States

## French Troops To Pyrenees

Paris Considers Move Against Threat of Massed German Volunteers in Spain

Paris, Jan. 6.—France was reported today considering the dispatch of troops to the Pyrenees Mountains to guard her undefended Spanish frontier against the implied threat of massed German volunteers in Spain.

A source close to the Foreign Ministry, according to the Associated Press, said the French and British "preparations" to aid France in event the troop movement is ordered. First steps to work out such a programme were said to have been taken in a conference between British War Secretary Alfred Duff Cooper and Edouard Daladier, Minister of Finance of France, Monday evening.

## War Supply Ship Wins Congress Race

eight crated airplanes on her decks were lashed down. In her holds was a huge amount of war materials, foodstuffs and medicines for the loyalist forces in Spain.

Washington, Jan. 6 (Associated Press).—Acting swiftly, the senate today passed and sent to the house of administration's resolution to embargo arms shipments to Spain.  
The Senate approved the resolution within an hour after hearing President Roosevelt request such legislation.

The Senate took up the resolution immediately after the president had finished reading his annual message to Congress.

## Venus Clothed By Reformists

Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—A reformist wave seized co-eds at the University of Manitoba and draped a statue of the Venus de Milo under a curtain of modesty—cheesecloth.  
The life-sized figure that for many years has occupied a prominent place in the Students' Union office met disapproval of the Women's Association

## War Prisoners In Spain Shot

Canadian Press

London, Jan. 6.—Shooting of prisoners continues in Spain. Semi-official advice received here today state that after the air bombardment of Malaga Saturday 100 prisoners were shot as a reprisal.  
Malaga is held by the government.

## REICH SENDS SHIPS TO SPAIN

Warships Added; No Abandonment of Patrol; Soviet Ship Seized

Associated Press

Berlin, Jan. 6.—Germany has no intention of abandoning her patrol of Spanish water. It was indicated today, although she has marked the Spanish government's seizure of the freighter Palos a closed incident.

The pocket battleship Admiral Scheer and the cruiser Nürnberg were prepared to sail from Kiel, it was learned to relieve two of the warships now in the Bay of Biscay to prevent "acts of piracy" on German merchantmen.

## RUSSIAN SHIP SEIZED

Associated Press

Gibraltar, Jan. 6.—The Russian steamship Balo-Moreana, en route from Rotterdam to the island of Elba, was halted today in the Strait of Gibraltar by an armed Spanish insurgent trawler and conducted to Ceuta, Spanish Morocco.

The report was confirmed by Lloyd's in London.  
An unconfirmed report broadcast by the insurgent radio station at Seville also declared an insurgent warship had seized a government vessel loaded with 600 tons of potatoes bound for Bilbao.

## BRITAIN-ITALY PACT SCORED

Newspapers of United Kingdom Join in Criticism of Agreement

Canadian Press from Havas

London, Jan. 6.—The British press joined today in criticism against the government's new agreement with Italy.

"The more we look at the Italo-British agreement the less we like it," said the London News-Chronicle, Liberal said. "The only excuse for reaching an agreement with Italy would have been an assurance by Duce that he intended to co-operate wholeheartedly in a policy of non-intervention in Spain."

The London Times declared: "Far from advancing that revival of confidence of which the British-Italian declaration was to be the diplomatic instrument, the Rome government's failure to withhold extra reinforcements from General Franco has made a discouraging and damaging impression."

## EXPLANATION CALLED FOR

"Some further explanation by the British government of the agreement is imperatively necessary," said the London Daily Herald. "Spokesmen for the Italian and German governments are openly declaring that Britain is against a government victory" (in Spain).

Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express of London said: "There is talk of an" (Turn to Page 2, Col. 5)

## SOVIET WATCHES REICH AND SPAIN

Associated Press

Moscow, Jan. 6.—A government spokesman expressed the opinion today Chancellor Hitler of Germany means to resort to direct military action in Spain unless halted immediately by Britain and France.

Writing under the pen-name of "Vigilant" in the newspaper Izvestia, the spokesman said the German seizure of Spanish vessels in retaliation for the capture of the German freighter Palos was an attempt to see how much intervention would be tolerated.

## Abducted Boy and Father Who Seeks Him



CHARLES MATTSON



DR. W. W. MATTSON

## Roosevelt Urges Courts Buttress U.S. Democracy

President, Addressing Congress, Points Out How Militarism Has Leaped Forward in Many Other Countries

Washington, Jan. 6.—President Roosevelt summoned the United States courts today to do their part "in making democracy successful" within the framework of the constitution at a time when "militarism has leaped forward" abroad.

Addressing a joint session of the new Congress, opened yesterday, the President said:  
"The vital need is not alteration of our fundamental law, but an increasingly enlightened view with reference to it."

"We do not ask the courts to call non-existent powers into being, but we have a right to expect that conceded powers or those legitimately implied shall be made an effective instrument for the common good."  
"The process of our democracy must not be imperiled by the denial of essential powers of free government."

## OBJECTIVES SOUND

Before the heavily Democratic Congress, the Chief Executive asserted that "the broad objectives" of the NRA were "sound," adding:  
"The statute of NRA has been outlawed. The problems have not. They are still with us."

The President did not mention the Supreme Court by name, but he said at one point:  
"Because all of us believe that our" (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

## NEW ALBERTA MONEY SCHEME

Social Credit Draft Now Before Cabinet Includes Provincial Currency Plan

By J. F. SANDERSON

Edmonton, Jan. 6.—A new financial system for Alberta, which would apply for the first time anywhere in the world, the social credit theories of Major C. H. Douglas, has been recommended to the Aberhart government.

The Social Credit planning committee which Premier Aberhart appointed three weeks ago has laid down eleven guiding principles which, if put into effect by legislation, would be unique anywhere in the world. The report is being considered by the Premier and his cabinet, who so far have arrived at no decision on its acceptability.

## Lord Wakehurst Made Governor

Canadian Press

London, Jan. 6.—Baron Wakehurst today was appointed governor of New South Wales, succeeding the late Admiral Sir David Murray Anderson.

## Break in Weather Expected Tomorrow

Twelve Degrees of Frost Recorded Here This Morning, After Northerly Gale Drops; Skating Not Yet Safe on Deep Lakes

Victorians will be glad to know that the present cold wave is expected to break down tomorrow evening. W. A. Thorn, superintendent of the Victoria Meteorological Observatory, says a change to milder weather will occur then.

Victorians counted frozen pipes and gazed sadly at depleted coal bins this morning—results of yesterday's bitter gale from the north.

## Charles Mattson's Father At Tacoma Asks Press Not to Report His Moves

## Frozen Firemen Battle Blazes

Wind and Ice Added to Difficulties of Firemen Fighting Twenty-eight Outbreaks, Nineteen of Them in Four Hours; All Equipment in City Out at Once

Victoria's firemen were this morning resting up after the heaviest day's work in the memory of Fire Chief Alex Munroe, who has been twenty-seven years with the department.

Between 8 o'clock yesterday morning and 11 o'clock last night the department answered twenty-eight calls and two false alarms. Nineteen of the calls were between 5 and 9 o'clock.

The whole of the city's fire equipment, including spare machines, was on the streets at certain times. The thirty men on the regular shift had to be supplemented by others called back from their rest periods.

The worst possible weather conditions, a high wind and a low temperature, made the firefighters' work difficult.

Several times the wind, tearing shingles off burning roofs and carrying sparks for many blocks, threatened to turn small chimney and roof blazes into serious fires.

## COVERED IN ICE

Water pumped by the engines was frozen soon after it had fallen. Firemen covered from head to foot in icicles tripped and skidded on pavements covered with thin sheets of ice as they tended their ice-encrusted machines.

As the engines returned to their stations there was no time for the men to get properly thawed out. Often men came out of their stations even before the trucks had come to rest.

In Saanich and Esquimalt the problem was not such a serious one. The Saanich department attended five fires during the afternoon and (Turn to Page 2, Col. 6)

Dr. Charles Mattson's Appeal for Complete Freedom from Publicity is Believed to Indicate Gravest Fears for Boy's Safety if Abductor's Ransom Instructions Not Fully Followed; Two Men at Shelton, Wash., Where Sunday Incident Reported, Yesterday Bought Clothing for a Boy

Associated Press

Tacoma, Jan. 6.—Dr. W. W. Mattson, father of kidnapped Charles Mattson, ten, today issued a statement to the press appealing for an absolute cessation of "surveillance of any kind or nature whatever of my movements."

The statement was interpreted to mean the abduction had reached a crisis and that the doctor had the gravest fears for his boy's safety if he were not assured absolute freedom to follow the kidnapper's instructions.

"Delivery of a message by a telegraph company messenger boy this morning preceded issuance of the doctor's statement at noon."

## JOYCE WETHERED MARRIED TODAY

Associated Press

London, Jan. 6.—Joyce Wethered, the golfer, was married today to Sir John Heathcoat-Amory, whom she met on the links at Hoylake last year.

## New Imperial Bank Manager

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Appointment of H. T. Jaffray as general manager of the Imperial Bank of Canada, succeeding A. E. Phipps, who last week was elected president, was announced here today. Mr. Jaffray has been assistant general manager since 1928.

## BELOW ZERO IN INTERIOR

Prince George Reports Sixty-two Degrees of Frost During Cold Spell

Vancouver, Jan. 6.—A cold wave, surging down from the sub-Arctic, brought British Columbia the lowest temperatures this winter.

The Dominion Meteorological bureau here said the low temperatures would continue for several days.  
The coldest point in the province today was Prince George, in the central interior, where the mercury dropped to thirty below. Dawson, Y.T., reported twenty-two below today compared with twenty-six below yesterday.

In Vancouver the temperature dropped to fifteen above. New Westminster was two degrees colder.

Seattle today attributed two deaths indirectly to the coldest weather of the winter in the northwestern states.

Strong winds which accompanied the cold snap oppled a thirty-foot chimney in Seattle, crashing it through the roof of a gymnasium in which fifty high school students were assembled. No one was injured.

Two hundred feet of the Washington State fair grandstand at Yakima was torn off by the wind and power and telegraph lines were broken down.

Spokane, in the eastern part of the state, reported fifteen above, while the temperature dropped to five above in northern Idaho.  
Blizzard conditions extended over all of the State of Oregon with the eastern area hardest hit.

## POPE SUFFERS SINKING SPELLS

Period of Prostration After Talks With Prelates Gives Physicians Much Anxiety

Associated Press

Vatican City, Jan. 6.—Pope Pius suffered a period of prostration late today after discussing church affairs with two prelates, but recovered a short time later.

Vatican attendants reported the Holy Father "extremely weary." The seventy-nine-year-old Pontiff complained at intervals of pains in his legs and abdomen, together with

shortness of breath, reliable sources declared.

Informed sources said the Holy Father's medical attendants were being called repeatedly to rally him from sinking spells.

## PAIN INTERRUPTS SLEEP

Official reports said the Pope's condition was unchanged this morning and that he had passed a relatively calm night.

Reliable sources reported, however, the Pontiff rested only in intervals of relief from almost continual pain. He spends his waking daylight hours, these sources said, alternating brief business talks with dozing and prayer.



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## Kidnap Ransom Talks Reach Crisis

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at Shelton, made about two "tough looking" men in a coupe who ordered him last Saturday night to tell the captive boy's father "everything is well."

Heavy underwear and a sweater were bought by the men, whom the merchant suspected of being involved in the kidnapping of Sunday, December 27, when Charles was stolen from his home. The size purchased was No. 12, it was learned.

### POLICE HALTED

Though federal agents refused comment on the merchant's strange comment on the merchant's visit, they made it clear they were taking no action on any clues until the body was safe in his home.

Arriving in the merchant's automobile, the men inquired of police for a federal official who could not be reached. They then asked for the Federal Bureau of Investigation and went to its temporary office at police headquarters.

For an hour and a half they re-

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## Vancouver Now Has New Mayor

**ROOSEVELT URGES  
COURTS BUTTRESS  
U.S. DEMOCRACY**

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der—atic form of government can cope adequately with modern problems as they arise, it is patriotic as well as logical for us to prove that we can meet new national needs with new laws consistent with the historic constitutional framework clearly intended to receive eral and not narrow interpretations."

### BROAD OUTLINE

Mr. Roosevelt confined his message to a broad outline of future problems, saying he would have specific recommendations later. But he said immediate action was needed to extend the neutrality law to cover the civil strife in Spain; to extend expiring statutes (such as his monetary powers and the Reconstruction Corporation) and to make deficiency appropriations for relief purposes.

### MORE NEW HOUSES

Among "far-reaching" problems needing solution, the President included:

1. A housing "menace" of habitations falling "to provide the physical benefits of modern civilization."

2. Aid for tenant farmers to become self-supporting.

3. Improvement and broadening of the "social security system."

4. Unemployment.

The President said he would discuss unemployment with Congress later, adding:

"The broader task of preventing unemployment is a matter of long range evolutionary policy. To that we must continue to give our best thought and effort."

Mr. Roosevelt termed overproduction, under-production and speculation the "three evil sisters who distort the troubles of unsmoothed inflation and disastrous deflation," adding:

"It is to the interest of the nation to have government help private enterprise to gain sound general price levels and to protect those levels from wide, perilous fluctuations."

Asserting the World War had set up many oligarchies in place of democracies, he said: "In oligarchies militarism has leaped forward, while in those nations which have retained democracy, militarism has waned."

It was high time for democracy to assert itself, he added.

## Reich-Italy Asked For Statement at Once on Spain

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Republi, the battleship Queen Elizabeth, the cruiser Devonshire and the destroyer Grafton, and the destroyer Forester, at Bilbao the destroyer Fearless and at Vigo the destroyer Foxhound.

Sir Eric Drummond and Sir Eric Phipps, British ambassadors at Rome and Berlin respectively, were instructed to demand a formal statement from the Anglo-French demands from the fascist governments before the end of this week.

### NO TIME FOR DELAY

The London News-Chronicle editorially raised the question of the necessity for "steamer" action by Great Britain.

"If replies (Germany and Italy) are not received within the specified time, the paper said, or, if on receipt they are found to be unsatisfactory, it will be the duty of the British government to proceed at once to stern action."

"The time for delay and hesitation went by long ago."

### PROTESTS TO LEAGUE

Geneva, Jan. 6.—The Spanish Valencia government lodged a double protest with the League of Nations today against alleged violation of its sovereignty by Italy and Germany.

The Spanish government asked League action on the German fleet's seizure of Spanish merchant ships and the sending of additional Italian volunteers to aid the Spanish insurgent attack on Madrid.

Officials immediately set League machinery in motion to act on the protest and announced the note would be delivered to all member nations and the text published this afternoon.

### TWO SHIPS SEIZED

The Valencia authorities enumerated the seizure of two Spanish freighters by German warships and the continued flow of volunteers to Spain to aid the insurgents.

The capture of the steamships was labelled a violation of international law by the Spanish government and the fresh sending of volunteers was protested as a violation of the London non-intervention agreement.

The League Council will meet January 18.

### Judge Is Ill; Not Told Wife Dead

West New Brighton, N.Y., Jan. 6.—Ignorant of his wife's death because special editions of The Staten Island Advance have been printed for him the last two days, Justice John Boylan fought for his own life in a hospital here today.

The municipal court justice is seriously ill of pneumonia. Physicians fear word of his wife's death last Saturday from the same ailment would end his fight for life.

George C. Miller, Taking Over Post From G. G. McGeer, M.P., Says Interest Rate Cut Will Be Sought

### Canadian Press

Vancouver, Jan. 6.—Continuation of efforts to obtain a reduction in the rate of interest on Vancouver's debenture debt will be one of the chief aims of the 1937 city council, Mayor George C. Miller said today in taking over the position of the city's chief magistrate from Mayor G. G. McGeer.

In his inaugural address Mayor Miller enunciated a six-point program for the new city council to follow.

1. Co-operation with the Vancouver Board of Trade to foster establishment and development of industries, with particular reference to use of the city's industrial area as sites for new concerns.

2. Continuation of the city's efforts to obtain a reduction in the rate of interest on its debenture debt.

3. Establishment of a better organized and more highly-paid internal audit department.

4. Strengthening of traffic regulations.

5. Assumption of more direct responsibility by heads of civic departments.

6. Continued pressure must be applied to obtain "a fairer distribution" of the revenues collected in Vancouver by the British Columbia government.

## Centre of Madrid Shelled Today

Insurgent Gunners Break Up  
Epiphany Observances in  
Spanish City

### Associated Press

Madrid, Jan. 5.—Artillery and air attacks disrupted the capital's celebration of the feast of the Magi today as insurgent gunners dropped six-inch shells into the central district and airmen bombed University City.

The shelling started shortly after 1 p.m. and broke up traditional observance of the Epiphany.

Sixteen tri-motored bombers, escorted by twenty-four pursuit planes, bombed Socialist lines in the northwestern University City area and near Las Rozas, ten miles northwest of the capital.

### FORCES ARE SENT

Government forces were dispatched today into Las Rozas sector to bolster defence of the vital El Escorial highway.

Insurgent troops were known to have gained a foothold on the important communication line to the Guadarrama in a new attempt to drive a wedge through the besieged capital's western defences.

### BRIGADES OF GERMANS

A War Office communique from the southern front said insurgent Moors and legionnaires who escaped to government lines from the Jaen province town of Villa Herta reported Spanish officers were almost entirely replaced by Germans throughout Andalusia.

"Whole brigades are formed by Germans," the bulletin said government commanders were told.

### REPORT HEIGHTS TAKEN

Insurgent Headquarters Outside Madrid, Jan. 6.—Insurgent artillery units occupied the heights of Mount Cumbre today, isolating Madrid from the Guadarrama forces by controlling El Escorial highway below.

General Francisco Franco's insurgent Moors and legionnaires scaled the heights with heavy cannon after defeating Socialist troops in a three-day battle in which 620 government soldiers were said to have been counted dead on the field.

New field headquarters were established just off El Escorial highway, about fifteen miles northwest of Madrid.

Madrid, Jan. 6 (Canadian Press from Havas).—Eighteen thousand Germans are now engaged in the insurgent siege of this capital, Gen. Jose Mija, defence junta chief, charged tonight.

### Break in Weather Expected Tomorrow

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from a rock and returned to Victoria with her decks crusted in thick ice.

A humorous note crept into the storm yesterday afternoon when a tiny car, parked on Broad Street, was fairly lifted by the wind and carried down the street. The driver didn't bother to adjust his emergency brakes, and in each gust of wind the car was driven farther along the street, much to the amusement of passers-by, until someone opened the door and put on the brake.

Conditions on-island were a little colder than in Victoria and the wind just as severe. The Sooke and Malahat hills have snow on them and some of the roads are icy and treacherous.

Details of a new type British military plane, said to be capable of extremely high speeds, are being kept secret. One feature of the ship is a raised, transparent cockpit.

## Fascist Test For Japan January 21

### Associated Press

Tokio, Jan. 6.—The Japanese parliament, reconvening January 21, may be forced to decide whether Japan is to become a fascist state under military rule, political observers predicted today. If the army holds the upper hand, these sources said, a military oligarchy—rule by a small group—appeared more probable than a complete dictatorship.

Foreign Minister Arita has denied the possibility Japan would embrace Fascism.

## NEW ALBERTA MONEY SCHEME

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formed to handle the import and export trade of Alberta. In brief, this bureau would buy wheat, for instance, from Alberta farmers, paying Alberta money for it. The wheat then would be sold outside the province for Canadian currency which could be used in future trading.

### INTEREST-FREE LOANS

Interest-free loans for inside the province, either in Alberta money or the surplus of Canadian currency piling up in the treasury.

Monthly dividends of 85 to every citizen of Alberta who has registered. Dividends would be paid in Alberta money only.

Alberta money would be made acceptable by law, forcing men and women to accept it for debts on penalty of the debts being liquidated to the amount offered.

Preservation of the natural resources of Alberta by setting aside an area which could be developed only through a Social Credit financial system and not by outside capital.

The three main principles—price discount, circulating debt-free money and dividends—are the primary theories of Major Douglas, the Scottish engineer who is the father of modern Social Credit.

### PLANNING COMMITTEE

The planning committee established by the Premier was as follows: W. W. Cross, Minister of Health; W. A. Fallo, Minister of Public Works; Lucien Maynard, minister without portfolio; R. E. Anley, secretary of the Alberta Social Credit League; and John Hergrave, leader of the Social Credit party of the United Kingdom, acting as technical adviser.

If the Premier and his cabinet approve the report, it will be discussed at the legislative caucus January 11. If approved there, it would be translated into law at the session of the legislature to open about the middle of February.

### B.N.A. ACT IN BACKGROUND

It always has been understood the British North America Act, the written constitution of the country, gave the Dominion Government full and exclusive control over currency, banking and legal tender. If Alberta goes ahead and issues money of its own, a constitutional crisis might result of major importance.

### BRITAIN-ITALY PACT SCORED

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Italian loan from the city of London. There should be no loan to Italy or anyone else to finance war."

### JOINT ACTION

The Yorkshire Post said the arrival of the Italian volunteers in Spain was confirmation that the recent Italo-German understanding contained a clause for joint action by the two fascist powers in Spain.

"It is quite possible that under the treaty Germany has the right to require that the assistance to General Franco shall be kept approximately equal from both countries," the newspaper said.

"The Anglo-Italian declaration loses much of its value in British eyes if it does not pave the way to the constructive co-operation between the two countries in the future."

### DIRECT PLEDGE NEEDED

The Manchester Guardian said the government should not have concluded the agreement with Rome unless it had received a pledge that Italy would cease to intervene in the Spanish civil war.

"This pact with a Fascist power which has so recently broken the law of nations and the peace of the world could in any case only be welcomed if its results were good and if it were loyally fulfilled in spirit as well as in letter," The Guardian said.

"The first four days of its history do not encourage either hope. Indeed, its total effect may only be to weaken British influence over a country which at least respected her hostility, but apparently despises her friendship."

### Shorter Hours For Nurses in Toronto

### Canadian Press

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Special nurses on duty in Toronto hospitals will work eight hours a day instead of twelve hours, effective January 15. The board of the central registry of Toronto graduate nurses last night ratified the vote of the nurses in favor of the change.

The eight-hour day applies only to special nurses caring for hospital patients.

The eight-hour day for nurses is already in force in London, Ont., Vancouver, and many United States cities.

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## FROZEN FIREMEN BATTLE BLAZES

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evening, all in chimneys. Esquimalt had two chimney fires.

Most serious of the blazes in the city was at 428 John Street. Answering a call turned in at 6:55 o'clock, the firemen found the roof of the building, standing high above the rest of the neighborhood, blazing fiercely. The fire had spread to the roof from a burning chimney and had broken out in several places.

Wind added to the danger by stripping shingles from the burning roof and carrying them over a wide area. Firemen had to battle outbreaks in two neighboring buildings started in this way.

The whole of the top story of the house was gutted and the rest considerably damaged by water before the fire was quenched. No estimate of the loss had been made late this morning.

### CALLS TABULATED

A tabulated list of Victoria and Oak Bay fires yesterday, with their times and nature, follows:

6:08 a.m.—1210 Monterey Avenue, chimney.

10:57 a.m.—966 Richmond Road, chimney.

2:59—2606 Dalhousie Street, steam.

4:36—1150 Mason Street, roof.

4:52—Victoria Golf Club, chimney.

5:08—2650 Quadra Street, roof.

5:46—North Park Street, near Quadra, roof.

5:58—146 Clarence Street, chimney.

6:15—1556 Hampshire Road, chimney.

6:29—400 block, Victoria Avenue, chimney.

6:25—Chambers and North Park, chimney.

6:45—814 Hillside Avenue, chimney.

6:50—354 Chester Street, chimney.

6:55—428 John Street, chimney and roof.

6:58—Bridge and Hillside, roof.

7:13—335 Moss Street, chimney.

7:15—1419 Harrison Street, chimney.

7:39—630 Speed Street, chimney.

7:41—2500 block, Vancouver Street, chimney.

7:56—1810 Government Street, chimney.

8:05—Grant and Chamber Street, chimney.

8:10—1300 block, Vining Street, chimney.

8:24—1850 Oak Bay Avenue, chimney.

8:36—Fernwood and Johnson, house.

8:58—Douglas Street, bonfire out of control.

9:02—135 Wildwood Avenue, chimney.

9:39—1062 Foul Bay Road, chimney.

10:27—2550 Vancouver Street, chimney.

Then came a period of inactivity up to 11:45 o'clock this morning, when a single call had been turned in.

Of the 10 inch bitants of the town of Plains, Kan., seventeen are licensed pilots who among them have five planes.

## Machine Shed On Barn Roof

### Associated Press

Ellensburg, Wash., Jan. 6.—Ben Cierf, farmer residing fifteen miles east of Ellensburg, wondered today how he could get his machine shed down from the roof of his barn.

The building, only recently constructed, was blown from its concrete foundation by a high wind early yesterday morning, which carried it twenty feet and deposited it upside down on the roof of the barn.

The document, made public by the house ways and means committee, showed:

William Randolph Hearst, the publisher, in 1936 maintained his position as the country's leading newspaper earner with pay cheques of \$500,000.

Mae West, the throaty-voiced siren of the screen, ran him a close second with earnings of \$480,833. She topped all film stars, including Janet Gaynor, last year's highest paid actress, whose 1935 income totaled \$169,750.

Charlie Chaplin's salary was listed at \$260,000. The late Will Rogers earned \$258,000. Fred Astaire received \$127,875; Ginger Rogers, frequently co-starred with him, \$74,483; Katharine Hepburn, \$121,572; Bing Crosby, \$318,097; Marlene Dietrich, \$368,000 and Joe E. Brown, \$179,438.

### COMEDIAN HIGH

The lugubrious film humor of Stan Laurel netted him \$158,286.

Nickles and dimes poured into the cash registers of the F. W. Woolworth company gave its president, B. D. Miller, an annual compensation of \$309,880. Soups put \$118,850 into the pay envelope of Arthur C. Dorrance, president of the Campbell Soup Company.

The General Motors Corporation paid President Alfred P. Sloan Jr. \$375,505, and William S. Knudsen, director and executive vice-president, \$325,850. Ten other officials drew more than \$200,000.

### MOTOR LEADERS

Edsel Ford got \$100,376 as president of the Ford Motor Company. Walter P. Chrysler, Chrysler Corporation chairman, received \$185,543.

One of the highest paid women executives listed was Blanche Green, president of the Spencer Corset Company, Inc. of New Haven, Conn., who received \$57,829.

### DONKEY EATS GOOSE LIVERS

Waterloo, Belgium, Jan. 6.—An Irish donkey's weakness for goose liver proved the basis of a strange mystery on a farm near here.



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## GENERALS IN CHINA SHIFTED

Nanking Makes Changes  
Following Pardoning of  
Marshal Chang

Nanking, Jan. 6.—With Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang pardoned, the executive Yuan yesterday gazetted new appointments designed to liquidate the effects of Chang's Shensi province rebellion.

General Ku Chu-tung, who commanded the western expeditionary force against Marshal Chang during the revolt, was named chief of staff with headquarters at Sianfu, Shensi. He is a devoted follower of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

General Wang Chu-chang and General Sun Wei-ju, former collaborators of the "Young Marshal," were named respectively pacification commissioner for Kansu and governor of Shensi.

General Yang Hu-cheng, principal co-rebel with the marshal, and Gen-

eral Yu Hsueh-chung, who revolted at Lanchow in Kansu, were both reduced in rank but retained their posts as Shensi pacification commissioner and governor of Kansu respectively.

Marshal Chang's troops were ordered to resume the positions held by them prior to the revolt.

A government mandate issued Monday evening at Nanking announced that while Marshal Chang had been fully pardoned by the highest civil authority for his recent rebellion in Northwest China, he remained "subject to severe military discipline to be decided by the military affairs commission."

This came a few hours after the Council of State had granted a pardon cancelling the ten years' prison sentence handed down last week by the military affairs commission sitting as a court-martial.

Officials interpreted the mandate to mean that while under discipline—not imprisonment—the marshal will be unable to hold military posts and his movements will be subject to approval of his military superiors.

However, it was stated, all his civil rights are restored.

It has been authoritatively suggested he will make a long journey abroad.

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## Printers' Code In Alberta Upset

Magistrate Says Aberhart Government's Order Did Not Set Date

Canadian Press  
Edmonton, Jan. 6.—The printers' code for Alberta was upset yesterday by Magistrate A. H. Gibson, who ruled it was non-operative because of an omission in the order-in-council proclaiming it.

The magistrate dismissed a charge against W. H. Heller, an Edmonton printer, charged with selling printing below the prices set in the code.

"In my opinion," the magistrate's judgment read in part, "the order-in-council is not effective to bring the code into force—that is, to give it the effect of law." His reason was that it did not stipulate a date on which the code would become operative and did not follow the wording of the Trade and Industry Act in its operative sections.

PROCLAIMED MONTH AGO

The printers' code was proclaimed a month ago. It set fair prices below which it was illegal to sell, and also stipulated a long list of unfair business practices which were prohibited.

The judgment affects only the printers' code, although it is only one of several that have gone into operation in recent months.

Hon. W. W. Cross, Acting Minister of Trade and Industry, when asked what action would be taken on the judgment, said: "The whole matter is receiving consideration."

"Will there be an appeal from the magistrate's decision?" he was asked.

"No," was the reply.

Premier William Aberhart had no comment on the decision.

## Four Convicted Of Ship Slaying

Sentence to Be Passed in G. Alberts Case at Oakland, Cal., Next Monday

Oakland, Calif., Jan. 6.—Four maritime union men were convicted of second degree murder by a jury late yesterday in connection with the slaying of George Alberts, chief engineer, aboard the freighter Point Lobos last March 22.

The penalty for second degree murder ranges from five years to life imprisonment. Those convicted were Earl King, E. G. Ramsey, Frank J. Conner and George Wallace.

Judge Frank M. Ogden in devoting one hour and a half to a review of the evidence and instructions, told the jurors to return one of four verdicts: 1, guilty of first degree murder without recommendation, which would have meant the death sentence; 2, guilty of murder in the first degree with recommendation of life imprisonment; 3, guilty of second degree murder, and 4, acquittal.

The prosecution contended the slaying of Alberts was motivated by his reported antagonism to union activities.

CONFESSIONS STUDIED

Purported confessions of Wallace and Conner were asked by the jury shortly after it had returned from lunch. The jurors also requested transcript of their testimony, and that of A. M. Murphy, assistant secretary of the Marine Firemen's Union, who was a star witness for the prosecution.

Conner repudiated his statement at the trial, saying it had been obtained by threats. Wallace, however, admitted his statement, which implicated King, Ramsey and Conner in an alleged conspiracy he said resulted in the assault on Alberts and his death in his stateroom aboard the Point Lobos.

Judge Ogden announced he would pass sentence next Monday. Defence attorneys said, however, they would enter motions for a new trial at that time and if they were denied, an appeal would be filed.

## TEXTILE INQUIRY NEARS ITS END

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Jan. 6.—Written argument of counsel relating to the textile investigation which occupied Mr. Justice W. F. A. Turgeon for the greater part of last year, will be filed with the commissioner by January 15. At the last public session of the commission that was the date tentatively decided on.

The legal men primarily involved in the submission of briefs are J. C. McRuer, commission counsel, and his associate, Elie Beauregard.

For the companies concerned in the inquiry argument will be filed by Aime Geoffroy, Roy L. Kellogg and C. O. Howard, all of whom appeared at various times before Commissioner Turgeon.

The commissioner's report will not be ready for some weeks yet.

## U.S. Republicans Spent \$8,056,524

Associated Press  
Washington, Jan. 6.—In a final report to the clerk of the House of Representatives the Republican National Committee yesterday disclosed it had spent \$8,056,524 in the 1936 United States election campaign. Contributions totaled \$7,693,855.

The Democratic National Committee reported campaign expenditures of \$5,030,848 and contributions of \$5,205,868.

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## Why Not Victoria?

THE OFFICIAL CANADIAN Broadcasting Corporation's programme sheet for the week from Ottawa lists fifty-three radio stations from Charlottetown, P.E.I., to Vancouver using C.B.C. programmes.

Three stations in Vancouver are thus listed with a fourth outside the city at Chilliwack. Trail, Kelowna and Kamloops each has a C.B.C.-served station. Of other western cities listed, Winnipeg, Moose Jaw, Calgary and Edmonton each has two C.B.C. station connections.

Conspicuously absent from the list is Victoria, with not even its one station connected. This in spite of the fact that cities with a population not very much larger than that of the four urban municipalities which go to make up Greater Victoria have two C.B.C. stations.

Radio listeners on the southern part of this island are not getting the C.B.C. service for which they are paying. Surely they are paying enough through their annual licenses to have a right to some consideration from the C.B.C.

## Under "Shirtism"

IN THESE COLUMNS RECENTLY we have suggested that the Third Reich under Reichsfuehrer Hitler is not doing the ordinary German very much good. Last Friday every German housewife had to limit her fat purchases to at least 80 per cent of her October buying.

We are now given the sequel. General Hermann Wilhelm Goering, frequently acclaimed as Hitler's successor, has compounded a slogan which is just this: "Guns instead of Butter!"

Only last week the German people were told to save their bread crusts. Restaurateurs had to obey the order to limit their menus in order that they would conform to the necessities of the time. People in the Third Reich are being commanded to eat less beef, veal, bacon, and imported vegetables, concentrating on potatoes, sugar, jam, cabbage, fish and limburger cheese. Small wonder that a current ditty should run like this:

Der Hitler hat keine Frau,  
Der Bauer hat keine Sau,  
Der Fleischer hat keine Fleisch;  
Das ist das Dritte Reich!

Reichsfuehrer Hitler, of course, has no wife—first line interpretation. Then the farmer has no second line carrying its own interpretation. Third and fourth lines tell us that the butcher has no meat and—"That is The Third Reich!"

Yet we have in Canada not a few misguided individuals who would, so it seems, bow down to the political demagogue, the unstart who thinks the best interests of the people can be served by the wearing of a specially-selected shirt of a particular hue.

The reactionary still has a great deal to learn.

## Politics and Prisons?

PRISON CONDITIONS IN THE United States would appear to require still further investigation. The current issue of The Literary Digest carries a story with a headline, "Prison Scandal." We quote a part of the article:

A man who had a toothache sent Pennsylvania officials howling with pain last week, all because he failed to go to the dentist.

The man had said he would go; in fact, he notified the Warden of the Pottsville jail, where he was awaiting transfer to prison to serve a life term, that the dentist's office was his destination. Moreover, he had dressed carefully for his call, packed his pockets with money, selected his own guard to transport him.

The guard, unarmed, dropped him at the dentist's office, in a busy street, then drove on to park the car. But when he returned he discovered that the life term had not gone to the dentist's at all.

Arrested on charges relating to her father's disappearance, Mrs. Antoinette Billing was released in \$15,500 bail.

"I am satisfied there was no planned escape," she said, "but that my father got the impulse of running away when he found he was left alone for a few moments downtown."

Then go down to the year of 1934, which we are told by The Digest, was the year of the Klayres massacre, when New York was shocked by conditions found in the City Prison on Welfare Island. Two gangs ran the prison, selling narcotics, food, clothing, parceling-out privileges and operating the gambling rackets. Favored inmates cooked their own meals in their cells; if they needed extra fuel they ripped up books from the library.

Leaders of the gangs kept valets, drank excellent whisky, smoked the best cigars. Those who wanted pets had them. Among these were homing pigeons, used chiefly to bring in narcotics. So prevalent was the drug habit that, after the prison was raided, half of the inmates had to be hospitalized.

And then the other day a convict was allowed to get out of jail to go to a clinic. He did not go. The item carries its own commentary. Imagine a convict getting out of Dartmoor—that bleak and desolate spot in Britain's world's worst in the way of penitentiaries!

## Which Way Roosevelt?

WITH THE RECENTLY ELECTED Congress getting into action at Washington this week, the rest of the world is interested with the United States as to the political trend under Roosevelt's second administration. Of political authorities who have been discussing the prospects, three of the best informed are Dr. Stanley High who has written an article for Liberty, Ernest K. Lindley who has presented his views in The Nation, and Dr. Rexford G. Tugwell—who appears in The New Republic.

All three writers are personal friends of Roosevelt; all three have discussed his policies with him. Dr. High was one of the half dozen men closest to Roosevelt in the campaign and one of a trio which worked intimately with him on his speeches. Mr. Lindley, a first-class reporter, as well as perhaps the most intellectual of the Washington correspondents, was Roosevelt's authorized 1932 biographer and has written probably the best available evaluation of the New Deal in "Half Way With Roosevelt." Dr. Tugwell was once the President's top brain-truster and is likely to be an influential adviser in future months.

Roosevelt expects to be assailed from the right for going too far and from the left for not going far enough, according to Dr. High. He indicates the President is ready to take to the radio against certain newspapers if they repeat the distortion and misrepresentation of which the President feels they were guilty in the campaign.

Roosevelt will go ahead with policies for the regulation of business monopoly and economic power, Dr. High believes, but not until he first tries to win voluntary co-operation from business. Dr. High predicts, however, that "prestige of money as a power in government will almost certainly decline in the next four years—as it declined in the last four."

Further predictions: The U.S. Chamber of Commerce and business lobbyists will have less authority. Roosevelt believes he can balance the budget without new taxes, but if new taxes are necessary they will be imposed as far as possible on higher-income brackets. The President hopes the landslide election endorsement will influence the United States Supreme Court to a much more liberal attitude toward New Deal laws, but if there is no change Roosevelt is likely to propose various constitutional amendments.

Roosevelt, Dr. High suggests, would most of all like historians to be able to say that because of his New Deal "freedom and free institutions survived and were strengthened."

Mr. Lindley points out that if business wants to preserve an "era of good feeling," it will have to accept collective bargaining, maximum hours, minimum wage, and anti-child labor legislation "where it is needed." The President will concentrate on rounding out reforms he has begun or publicly suggested. Mr. Lindley expects, and will call for new reforms if the recovery curve goes downward. Roosevelt will "move ahead steadily with such long range programmes as conservation, reduction of land tenancy, cheap electricity, and possibly housing."

Dr. Tugwell does not predict Roosevelt's course, but calls for "economic statesmanship" and national planning. Industry, he complains, "continues its unplanned and directionless course."

"The purchasing power of consumers must be enlarged until it suffices to take off the market the goods that an expanding industry can supply. Otherwise, employment will flag, debts will again increase and the two—unemployment and debt—will again bury us in disaster," he says.

Dr. Tugwell deplores unwillingness of big business men to co-operate in national planning, attributing it partly to ignorance of economic facts.

From these forecasts it would appear that conservatism is to continue very much at a discount at Washington, with a mild but progressive socialization holding the right of way.

## Healthy Sign

IN AN EASTERN CITY COURT A high-salaried oil company executive has been sitting with eleven other jurors at \$3 a day to hear a chicken-stealing case. A court official of the city points out that such attention to a civic duty is becoming less unusual. "A few years ago," he said, "men of large affairs avoided jury service, but in recent months we have had a number of prominent men on juries."

If this trend is noticeable in other cities, also, it would be interesting to learn just what is responsible. It is possible that in hectic boom days these men subordinated their duties as citizens to the pursuit of profits; and that the common struggle through hard times revived their sense of responsibility to their fellow citizens.

In any event the trend is, as the official pointed out, "a healthy sign of revived interest in government," and an excellent example for any community.

## Notes

Madrid is another place where it is risky to lean out of the window and shout, "Fire," as someone might.

If they can do it to watches, why not make ladies' gloves so they will glow in the dark under a seat at the movies?

Men may laugh at women's intuition, if they want to, but let them try to decide which is the front and the rear of their wives' hats.

The Ontario farmer who has a radio under the seat of his buggy undoubtedly is glad that "Oh, Whoo, Whoo, Whoo Whoo" song is out.

## Loose Ends

Lord Tennyson would be appalled if he knew—Mayor La Guardia stands up for freedom and jay-walkers—help is proposed for burglars—and it is cold, yes, quite cold.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

## POOR POET

IT IS AN INTERESTING FACT of human nature that the Crimean War is chiefly remembered through Tennyson's "Charge of the Light Brigade," on which an excellent movie, shown here last week, was founded. It is more melancholy to realize that Tennyson is chiefly remembered through this poem. It was the inspiration of the movie as it is the inspiration of every schoolboy yearning for battle and manly glory.

And, while the charge itself apparently was one of the finest things in the record of British arms, the poem is one of the most inferior Tennyson ever wrote. Nearly all his other work is infinitely better. The snatches of song in "The Princess," for instance, are worth ten of his charges. If Tennyson were alive he would be horror-stricken to find that most of the present generation have never read a line of his "In Memoriam," nor heard of his "Ulysses," but still small boys can thunder out the "Charge of the Light Brigade," which was evidently thought together overnight as part of the job of poet laureate, a kind of high-class pot boiler.

Also, it is often the fate of great men to be remembered by their least memorable works. Most people know only that Alfred, the first figure of note in English history, was a forgetful fellow who burned a lady's cakes. Henry VIII is remembered almost exclusively for his numerous wives, his able statesmanship completely forgotten. At the present rate, Queen Victoria will be remembered only for the silly primness and hypocrisy of her times, not for the essential greatness of her times. Nothing can be done about it. Nothing can be done about a public which sees a movie of the Light Brigade's charge and goes home and thinks it knows Tennyson.

## LOST CAUSE

SINCE STOP-AND-GO SIGNS were erected in Victoria, all the native independence, the hardy pioneer spirit of our people seems to have oozed out. They obey the traffic regulations without question. They huddle on street corners like sheep, waiting for the lights to change. Traffic itself is unimportant, but this sign of a decaying freedom, a changed public psychology, a lost cause, is distressing.

We are told that the city has grown too big for jay-walkers. I have always doubted it. I have always believed in jay-walking and now this view is getting some support at last from an authority. It will be admitted, I suppose, that New York is larger than Victoria, with a greater traffic problem even than that of Douglas Street. Yet the able mayor of New York, Mr. LaGuardia, has just denounced any attempt to interfere with the jay-walker. His utterance on this occasion is notable. "Try to goose-step or to drive into formation march the residents of New York City," said he, "is a task far more difficult than it would seem. We are accustomed to move freely, and naturally would resent a police regulation. I prefer the happiness of our unorganized imperfection to the organized perfection of other countries. Broadway is not under ten Linden, and Times Square is not the Plaza Venezia, and we cannot expect the enforced discipline of Red Square in a republic of free citizens."

It is a notable speech which we free-born jay-walkers of Victoria should commit to memory. Our cause is lost, of course. We are leading a forlorn hope. But at least we can get ourselves run over with dignity.

## WILD NOTIONS

WHEN ITALY was invading Ethiopia and the League of Nations was making an indecent spectacle of itself in public, it was suggested in this place that before the business was finished the western powers, including Britain, would condone the rape of the last free African nation. It was suggested that the western nations would make no real attempt to stop Italy from stealing Ethiopia, because, at all costs, they wanted to keep Mussolini in control of his country, lest he be succeeded by Communism. It was suggested that after Italy had stolen Ethiopia by force of arms the western nations would forgive her and that, finally, they would give the poor Italians a loan to help them develop their stolen property.

At that time such a prediction was regarded as just another of the wild and irresponsible notions to be found in this column. I had a few letters of protest, but the idea was generally considered too absurd to discuss.

This week came from London the intimation that the Ethiopian adventure is working out to its logical conclusion. Britain, it is intimated, will give the poor Italians a loan to help them develop backward Ethiopia, but will not recognize the conquest officially, only "de facto." The British government doubtless knows what it is doing, has to pay cash for Italy's support against the menace of Germany, has to subsidize a burglar in self-defence. But the transaction should be remembered here next time the statesmen of inner Europe ask this continent to fight over there for some immortal principle, some beautiful ideal.

## COLD

IT IS COLD TODAY. You walk about the streets shivering. You complain bitterly. But what do you know of cold, you in the city yonder? Do you have to look out of your window, as I do now, on the stiff corpses of twenty-seven cabbages, forty-three Brussels sprouts, and thirteen parsnips, planted with so much care and tenderness, fed with George Fotherby's best all summer and autumn and not cut down in their prime?

Do you have to watch the pheasants and the quail marching past, dismal and hungry? Do you have to rush out into the teeth of the north blast to offer them a little grain and bread crumbs? Do you have to watch your rock plants wither before your very eyes while you are powerless to aid them?

Do you have to listen to Mrs. Noggins complain that her pipes have burst as usual, even though her son, Alf, is a plumber, for plumber's pipes are no more sacred, it seems, than yours or mine, a fact which Mrs. Noggins can never understand? Do you have to listen to the sarcastic reproaches of Bill Potts, our wood man, as he hastily brings us another load and reminds us that he predicted a hard winter away back last August, when we wouldn't listen to him? And have you two young demons next door who keep on hoping and confidently predicting that it will soon go down to zero?

Those trailerites. From The Hanover Post. Another difficulty that comes with families living and moving in trailers is that Johnny will get his winter lessons in Florida and write his June examinations in Ontario.

Blessed are the poor. They alone eat in the kitchen and get hot cakes direct from griddle to plate.

Important-feeling people are easy to recognize at the movies. They turn and glare at morons who talk.

## New 1937 V-8

Two V-8 Engine Sizes

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If maximum economy is your greatest consideration—choose the 60 h.p. V-8. If you want maximum performance—choose the 65 h.p. V-8. Both cars have the same full-size, comfortable body, the same luxury finish.

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## Letters to the Editor

## DUKE TO BE GREAT HERO

To the Editor:—Many communications have been published in regards to the Duke of Windsor. It is strange how quickly had news spread, or "rumored news." Has it ever occurred to the thinking people how important real news is at the present moment to the welfare of Merry Old England. Remember they buried Lawrence of Arabia several times and there are many who still believe he still lives. Who knows the Duke of Windsor may be another Lawrence of Arabia? Remember Archer's words: "The Duke of Windsor someday will prove one of Britain's greatest heroes."

One thing I feel sure of, he will never marry Mrs. Simpson—unless circumstances come along and the play has to be carried out to the finish. It is very strange he should go to stay with one of the richest men in the world—in Austria.

Think it all over for yourself. You may see another side to this great story of the Duke of Windsor and Mrs. Simpson—a very patriotic side. J. W. ARCHER.  
1404 Esquimaux Road.

## ILL-BRED YOUTH'S CHARGE

To the Editor:—It is the topic of the letter "Ill-bred Canadian Youths" written by Sympathiser, Humboldt Street, which has prompted me to write this, my first letter to the Times, although living here some fifteen years.

The idea of such a reply full of malice just over childish impudence and that unpremeditated! Some years ago I experienced the misfortune of having my purse stolen. The offender, from across the ocean, was about twenty to twenty-five years of age, and he received a sentence of two years. Little did I dream of kicking a fallen man, regardless of his nationality. In my testimony at court I tried to gloss it all over as not to condemn him too harshly. The paper remarked about my evidence not being very clear. In my heart I felt deeply sorry for him and his pal (Italian).

According to the letter on "Ill-bred Canadian Youths," I had ample reason to write a letter to the editor with blaming letters. "Thieving British Youths," but "he that is without sin let him cast the first stone."

C.A.P.I.

Coronation Avenue.

## PRAISE, INDEED, FOR GYROS

To the Editor:—I wish to say a few words about the Gyros Hamper. I received one and was very thankful for it as it was beyond my expectations. It was certainly filled to the brim with all good fresh food and the best I am sure, that could be bought and delivered things that I could not buy. I am sure it made one's heart happy to open such a nice gift and I thank the Gyros and all that helped with them. They deserve praise and here is three cheers for them and a Happy New Year, and God bless them for thinking of the needy and helping to make their Christmas a happy one indeed.

Ours for one would have been a poor one, and I know a lot of such one would have been short without the Gyros, so let's praise them for doing good, instead of criticizing. Let's the Gyros hampers are going to be continued next year—if they are needed. From a

THANKFUL WOMAN

R. M. D. 1

## SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"We never can have a home and all that it means, because you think that lousy speech of yours has to be delivered in every tank town between Maine and California."



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Sirloin	17c	Mutton	15c-8c	Boiling Beef	7c
Pork	16c	Pork	16c	Cooked Tripe	9c
Veal	15c	Veal	14c		

Oxford Sausage, lb., 8c Mince, lb., 8c Stew Beef, 2 lbs., 17c

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Cottage Cheese, Per lb., 11c Dry Salt Pork, Per lb., 14c Libby's Kraut, 2 lbs., 17c

## SERVICE MEATS—DELIVERED

Phone Service From 8 a.m.

Livers: Beef, lb., 15c; Lamb, lb., 16c; Calf, lb., 35c Little Pig Sausage, lb., 15c; Veal Cutlets, lb., 25c Round Steak, lb., 19c; Mince Round Steak, lb., 18c Shoulders Lamb, lb., 15c; Flank Steak, lb., 18c

## 1937 PROSPECTS

From The Comox Argus  
If the volcano of war does not burst into flame, we on Vancouver Island should have the best year since the boom burst in 1929.

## Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "It is apt to snow tonight."  
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "Doctor Jekyll"?  
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Heighth, sleight, weight.  
4. What does the word "moisty" mean?  
5. What is a word beginning with ch that means "visionary"?

## ANSWERS

1. Say, "It is liable to snow tonight."  
2. The English family pronounce it je-kill. 3. As in he, I as in ill. 3. Height. 4. One of two equal parts: a half. (Pronounce moi-e-til, or as in toll, e as in me, final I as in it, accent first syllable). "There was a moiety of clever sarcasm in his speech." 5. Chimerical.

## Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

Q. Should one use the phrase "my friend" when making an introduction?

A. No; this is considered to be extremely bad taste.  
Q. In what way do winter refreshments differ from those served during the summer?

A. The winter refreshments can be far more substantial, and should always include a hot dish or hot drink.  
Q. When a woman is traveling alone, should she resent the remarks or attentions of a man who is a fellow traveler?

A. That depends entirely upon the kind of remark or attention offered. A woman's intuition should determine if the man is well-bred, sincere, and polite; if so, his remarks or attentions should be met with equal politeness.



## RADIO MOVE IS ENDORSED

Representatives of Civic Groups Pass Resolution on Victoria Station Needs

Unanimous endorsement for the move of the Junior Chamber of Commerce to seek a new and more important radio station for Victoria, preferably connected with the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation network, was given last night by representatives of a number of civic organizations who assembled under the auspices of the radio committee of the Junior Chamber in the Chamber of Commerce offices.

The resolution read in part: "This meeting goes on record as desiring such radio facilities for Victoria as will in the future provide for the city of Victoria and Southern Vancouver Island a radio station that will give us a definite individuality and an expression that is distinctly ours, and enable us to broadcast through the new Canadian Broadcasting Corporation to all parts of Canada, or through any kindred network such as the NBC, or in times of national importance to the Empire at large."

The document will be placed before W. E. Gladstone, Murray, general manager of the CBC, on his arrival here next week.

The wording of the resolution is substantially that used by the chairman of last night's meeting, Walter S. Miles, in opening the round-table discussion.

### REPORTS ON OTTAWA

C. H. O'Halloran, just back from Ottawa, told the meeting how he had laid the views of Victoria on the matter of radio before Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Transport, and of outcome of the interview. The minister had been of the impression, he said, that Victoria could be well supplied by the national outlet station in Vancouver.

Mr. O'Halloran had replied that as capital city of British Columbia, Victoria had a vital interest in broadcasting, and that it was the first port of call from the Orient and as such could be the point of origin of much interesting material.

R. H. B. Ker took the stand that if there were to be a monopoly on broadcasting here, the city should be entitled to a first class station. He believed British Columbia should have as important a place in the Canadian broadcasting picture as California had in that of the United States.

### CITY COUNCIL SUPPORT

Alderman J. A. Worthington, representing the City Council, pledged the support of the aldermen for any move which the junior chamber should choose to make in this connection, and congratulated the members on their work.

Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan seconded his pledge.

P. C. Simpson, representing mainland interests concerned in the establishment of a new station here, saw no objection to the successful operation of a private transmitter of medium power having access to network programmes.

Mr. Claringbull asked the co-operation of those present in finding performers to represent Victoria on the special programme to be given January 15 at the dedication of the new CRCV transmitter.

Les Osborne believed there was no evidence of talent in Victoria simply because such talent had had no outlet in the past. He pointed to the number of Victoria artists who had gone to the United States in this connection. "If we get a station I think talent will be a very minor detail," he said.

Robert D. Harvey, representing the Victoria Conservative Association, suggested that a link between Victoria and the national network would help end the misconception in the east under which Canada was spoken of as "from Halifax to Vancouver."

The possibility of establishing the transmitters of a Victoria station as far away as Banfield was also mentioned by Mr. Harvey. This, he believed, would give a much wider coverage.

The belief that Esquimalt would shortly rate as an important point imperiously and that a powerful radio station might be of naval importance was put forward by W. W. Martin.

Other points brought up by delegates included the possibility of greater advertising support by merchants for a more powerful station, the interest of the whole island in Victoria's radio picture and the publicity value to the city of network representation.

### TO INTERVIEW PREMIER

Mr. O'Halloran undertook to ask Premier T. D. Pattullo to interview Mr. Murray on his arrival here and to place before him the provincial government's request for a national station here.

Points brought out in a brief submitted to the meeting by William O. Pindley, secretary of the Junior Chamber, were: The geographic position of Victoria in its relation to the provision of radio entertainment and Canadian publicity to ships at sea, the large financial contribution to the CBC through radio licenses made by island listeners without return; the difficulty of tuning the Vancouver station here because of Mexican interference; the position of Victoria in comparison with a Quebec town of 1,200 inhabitants which had a basic CBC station, and the interest of Victoria's citizens in fine arts.

## Twenty-five Years Ago Today

JANUARY 6, 1911

(From The Times Files)

In consequence of the burning of the men's wing of the provincial jail, it is the intention of the government temporarily to house the men either in the administrative portion of the house, which was uninjured, or in the old naval prison at Esquimalt, in the yard there. There is no spare accommodation in the Mainland prisons at the present time.

Starting on her 15,000 mile voyage to Victoria via the straits of Magellan, the new C. P. R. steamer Princess Patricia, formerly the Queen Alexandra, left Greenock, Scotland yesterday according to advices which were received here in the afternoon. It is expected the steamer will arrive at Victoria toward the end of March.

At a meeting of the City Council last evening, upon a report that the arbitration proceedings had been completed in connection with the Victoria West street lines, and that the cost was \$24,287.33, of which the city might contribute up to two thirds, the city solicitor suggested that in meeting the contribution, the expense of the preparation of plans by the engineering department should be borne in mind.

Judge Lampman this morning gave judgement for Frank King for \$225 against the city as a result of the plaintiff having driven his rig and team into an excavation on Herald Street which had been left unlighted at night by the employees of the city on October 13 last.

## Broadcast Chief Here Wednesday

Gladstone Murray to Spend Three Days in City Investigating Conditions

Gladstone Murray, general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, will visit Vancouver Island next week to make a survey of the radio situation.

He will arrive in Nanaimo on Tuesday and will be the guest of the Board of Trade there. On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday he will be at the Empress Hotel and will be pleased to meet anyone who wishes to discuss any angle of broadcasting.

Mr. Murray will speak to the teachers and pupils of Victoria High School on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, and will be the guest of the Junior Chamber of Commerce on Friday at a luncheon, which will be open to the public.

Vancouver Island is one of the parts of Canada where radio reception is difficult and the corporation is anxious to make improvements.

## St. Andrew's Choir At Fairfield Church

Under the leadership of Jesse Longfield, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church choir will present Gault's well-known cantata, "Ruth," in Fairfield United Church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, in aid of the church organ fund.

The choir has been rehearsing for this presentation for some months, and a fine twilight concert is assured those who attend.

The soloists will be: Mrs. F. W. Hawes, Miss Isabelle Crawford, Miss Evelyn Telford and A. W. Trevett.

## Five Speakers Give Testimony

Further testimony of divine guidance in practical and spiritual affairs was given by five speakers at the second meeting of the "Week of Witness" in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church yesterday evening.

Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell conducted the service and the following speakers took part: Rev. G. A. Reynolds, First Baptist; Rev. E. O. Robathan, Christ Church Cathedral; Rev. D. A. D. Reid, Centennial United; Duncan McKerscher, Oaklands Gospel Hall, and Harry Renfree, Emmanuel Baptist.

Speakers this evening will be Rev. A. S. Imrie, Capt. Archie Dale, Rev. James Hood, Rev. T. H. McAllister, Angus Galbraith, H. D. Patterson and J. S. Whiting. The subject will be "How I Found God."

### CALGARY DEATH

Calgary, Jan. 6.—Ill for a month, William N. Gibson, sixty-six, assistant manager of the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede Limited, died in a hospital here late yesterday. He was born at Danville, Que., coming to Calgary in 1908.

Oiling egg beaters, meat choppers and other small cooking equipment with cooking or salad oil prevents flavoring the food with machine oil.

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Ties, T-straps, Pumps, Oxfords—in all leathers and heel heights. The values include many lines from our Upstairs Department—and are really exceptional.

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## Wool WOOLS 10c

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A special purchase—direct from the mills! Included are all weights of fingerings and silk-and-wool mixture yarns. Good shades to choose from, especially for children's wear. Be in early to get a complete choice of colors, and DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS SPECIAL!

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COMBINATIONS—Imported, all-wool cashmere, natural or cream shade, short or long sleeves; ankle length. All sizes. A suit ..... **\$4.50**

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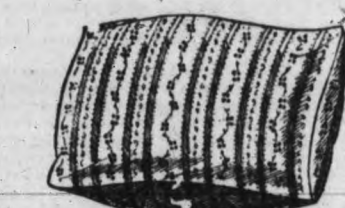
## A Special Sale of Men's Invictus Shoes \$5.19

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## W.B.A. Officers Are Installed

The officers for the ensuing year were installed at the regular meeting of the Queen Alexandra Review No. 1, W.B.A., held on Monday evening. Mrs. M. Burnett past president acted as installing officer while the duties of ladies of ceremonies and chaplain were carried out by Mesdames L. Thompson, A. Barracough and L. Gaetz.

The officers installed were: President, Mrs. M. Burnett; vice-president, Mrs. J. Bowden; recording secretary, Mrs. W. Henson; financial secretary, Mrs. E. McAllister; treasurer, Mrs. C. Yeamans; chaplain, Mrs. Williams; acting past president, Mrs. M. Burnett; sergeant, Mrs. McNeil; lady of ceremonies, Mrs. T. Baillie; officer of day, Mrs. J. Winters; inner hostess, Mrs. M. Smith; outer hostess, Mrs. M. Laxton; musical director, Miss M. Muir; pianist, Miss W. Welsh; standard bearers, Mesdames M. Laird and Brooks; Miss Canada, Miss W. Graham; Miss W.B.A., Mrs. P. Ritchie; color bearers, Mesdames K. Herring, M. Thompson, A. Malcolm and B. Manson; ensigns, Mesdames A. Taylor and A. Davis; captain, Miss M. Morris; and press correspondent, Miss E. Malcolm.

A splendid review of the work carried out during 1936 was given by the president, Mrs. M. Burnett. Mrs. Thompson reported on sick members, Christmas and New Year greetings were read from several out of town members.

Courage bouquets were presented to Mesdames M. Burnett, L. Thompson and A. Barracough.

Mrs. C. A. Brien, provincial field director gave a short talk on the Seattle pagant and plans of insurance that are offered to W.B.A. members, after which Mrs. Ritchie presented her with a small gift from the review officers and members.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. C. Yeamans and her committee.

**Women's Parish Guild**—The annual meeting of the Women's Parish Guild of Christ Church Cathedral, scheduled for this week, has been postponed until Friday, January 15.

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## Resolutions For New Year

Mrs. R. W. McClung  
Gives Nurses  
Some Suggestions

"New Year's Resolutions" was the subject of the talk given by Mrs. R. W. McClung before the Victoria Graduate Nurses' Association at their meeting held in the nurses' home of St. Joseph's Hospital last night.

In her preamble, Mrs. McClung paid tribute to the members of the nursing profession, who saw humanity at its "lowest ebb" but "still love us and have our welfare very close to their hearts." Her resolutions for the New Year, full of homely philosophy, were as follows:

"1. When I am at a meeting, I will come to order when the bell rings even if I am just approaching the 'hub' of a very good story. I will not mutter, nor whisper, nor give my opinion to the member next to me instead of addressing the chair. If I do not have my own way, I will not be silent and sad or threaten to resign.

"2. When I hear a good story, I will not try to discount it by telling a better one. That cuts friendship.

"3. Now in regard to words—during the year that is coming I will try to ease the strain on the two adjectives: 'wonderful' and 'marvelous.' Good words they are, but they are beginning to show signs of fatigue. With a whole dictionary of words beside me, there is no reason for making these two do all the chattering.

"4. I will not waste other people's time by telling them how busy I am. Everyone is busy or believes he is. So that has ceased to be news. Indeed I will try to listen more and talk less. We all learn more by listening.

"5. I will do at least one thing each day that I do not want to do—go for a walk, do without a meal, tidy a drawer, do a bit of mending, return a book or read a dull one, just to keep a hold on my will power.

"6. I will not be afraid of silence in conversation. There are times when a clean silence is better than idle chatter. In the silence, thoughts may germinate.

"7. I will not be one of those petty sensitive 's's, whose feelings are easily hurt. If anyone is going to offend me, they will have to put it in writing.

"8. I will never offer to do something or give something, hoping that the prospective recipient will refuse to let me. If I do something for anyone I will not regret it. This is the rock upon which many a good family ship founders.

"9. I will keep alive my sense of wonder. Things do just 'come about' sometimes.

"10. I will try to tell the exact truth, which (apart from its morality) saves much wear and tear on the memory.

"11. I will affirm my conviction that intellectual snobs are the most objectionable of all snobs.

"12. I am going to do more this year than I ever did to get books for everyone. 'There are so many book-hungry people. I will not be a book hoarder any more. Books are a refuge, a sure defence, equalizer.' Life's good gifts. They alone for so many of life's injustices. Let us who love books, and have drawn comfort from them, never forget that one hungry soul is of more value than many books."

Miss E. Toynbee, the president, was in the chair, and Miss Meta Hodge was the vote of thanks to the speaker. Business matters were discussed prior to the address.

**Weddings**  
A quiet wedding took place in Vancouver on Boxing Day at the home of the bride's parents, when Rev. W. A. Cameron united in marriage Edith Catharine, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. S. Miller, and Mr. J. Ainslie Worthington, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Worthington, Craigdarroch Road, Victoria.

**PENDER ISLAND**  
Pupils of junior division and others of pre-school age were entertained in Hope Bay Hall, December 29, which the Women's Institute sponsored a Christmas party. Fair games were enjoyed after which supper was served and gifts—candy and oranges distributed.

The United Church was filled to capacity on Sunday evening, December 27, when Ashford's Christmas cantata, "Holy Night" was presented by the choir. The service was almost entirely absent with a short address by Rev. F. B. Richardson.

The annual meeting of the United Church Women's Missionary auxiliary was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. H. Menzies. Mrs. S. P. Corbett presided.

The officers were re-elected with the presidency still unfilled. Mrs. S. P. Corbett, first vice-president, will continue to hold the leadership position.

**Ministering Circle**—The Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters will hold their annual meeting on Friday afternoon in the restaurants, Hibben-Bone Block.

## New Year's Bridal Party



Rev. Cecil R. Barner (left) and his bride, the former Miss Ruth Mackenzie of Cobble Hill, are shown with their attendants following their wedding, which took place at the First Baptist Church on New Year's Day. Miss Grace Barker is the bridesmaid and Mr. Kenneth Ross the groomsmen. Mr. Barner, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Barner, Vancouver Street, was recently ordained minister of the Nainana Baptist Church.

**Society**  
Major Gordon Temple of Terrace, B.C., is visiting his mother, Mrs. E. A. Temple, 2871 Dysart Road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Downard have returned to their home in Shirley after spending the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Downard, 1444 Pembroke Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Willoughby have returned to their home in Vancouver after visiting Mrs. Willoughby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, Woodley Road.

Mr. George Patrick of Strathmore, Alta., is visiting in the city as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry March, grand-daughter, Miss Audrey Hadow, Linkleas Avenue.

Miss Lottie Bowron, Balmoral Hotel, who has been spending the last two weeks at Cowichan Lake as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Burdett, returned to Victoria yesterday afternoon.

Miss Marjorie Press of Montreal, who came out to Victoria to spend the festive season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Press, Burdett Avenue, will leave on Saturday for her home in the east.

Miss H. Gillam, who has been spending the New Year's holiday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Clark, Chemainus, has returned to her home on Raynor Avenue.

Miss Enid Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ellwood, Metochin, has returned to Vancouver to resume her training at the Vancouver General Hospital, after convalescence from her critical illness in July.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cockburn and their daughter, Miss Evelyn Cockburn, have returned to Carmel by the Sea, California, after spending the holiday season in Victoria with Mrs. Cockburn's mother, Mrs. E. Hammond King, Port Street.

Corporal Robert Wilson, R.C.M.P., Vancouver, has returned to his home on the mainland after spending the holidays in Victoria. Mrs. Wilson and their baby are remaining for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hamilton, Newport Avenue.

Miss Audrey Applegate of Vancouver has returned to the mainland and Miss Joyce Applegate has returned to resume her duties at teacher at Oliver, B.C., after spending their holidays in Victoria with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Applegate, Arnold Avenue.

Among the guests registered at the Dominion Hotel are: Mr. G. N. Shield, Vancouver; Mr. R. A. Sjöberg, Jordan River; Mr. H. Lem, Calgary; Messrs. E. H. Morrison and W. Page, Vancouver; Mr. K. Buell, Toronto; Mr. C. D. Cooper, Sequim, Wash.; Mr. E. D. Jubb, Portland; Mr. R. I. Knight, Quillman, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. P. Y. Daly, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Barn, Hain, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. L. Fossler, Red Deer, Alta.; Mr. W. H. Hoppell, Calgary; Mr. A. Sinclair, Vancouver; Mr. R. Maynard, Port Alberni; Mr. H. E. Willock, Vancouver; Mr. M. W. Hawley, Vancouver; Mr. B. H. Raymond, City; Mr. L. Tanaky, Vancouver; Mr. D. Gregory Smith, Mills Landing; Mr. S. Giles, Sooke.

## Lord Warwick To Divorce Wife

Earl in Hollywood  
Files His  
Petition in London

Associated Press  
London, Jan. 6.—The Earl of Warwick filed a petition for divorce yesterday against the Countess of Warwick, daughter of the late David Cecil Bingham of the Coldstream Guards. They were married in 1933 and have one son.

Hollywood, Calif., Jan. 6 (Associated Press)—Charles Guy Folke Greville, seventh Earl of Warwick, whose allegations filed in London yesterday, his petition to divorce the Countess of Warwick, is trying to carve out a motion picture career as plain Michael Brooke.

The earl came to Hollywood last summer, expressed a desire to become a film actor and took screen tests.

## BUTTER TALK IN GERMANY VETOED

Berlin, Jan. 6.—Germany was told yesterday by official decree and a newspaper editorial—to stop building up a taste for butter, and to use street cars in preference to buses.

An official decree prohibited advertising agents from arousing yearnings for butter and other fats of which there is a shortage—by picturing mouth-watering scenes.

Editorially, the newspaper Zwoelf-unhrblatt urged greater use of the street cars instead of buses to save gasoline, another commodity on which the Reich is short.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Tyrwhitt Drake entertained a number of young people at a dance at the Beach Hotel last night for their son, Mr. Monty Drake. The private dining-room was used for dancing, to the strains of a three-piece orchestra, and supper was served in the main dining-room. Among the invited guests were Misses Jacqueline Tweed, Denise Mara, Desirée Davis, Cynthia Yarrow, Susan Hercher, Ann Pender, Sheila McCabe, Hope Pennington, Perillia Bessie, Patricia Grant, Josephine and Ursula Forbes, Doria Jones, Isabel Mason-Hurley, Constance and Mary Stephens, Mona Martin, Helen Woodcock, Ann Ridewood, Barbara Jackson, Sylvia and Joan Piddington, Rachel Jukes, Eileen Carter, Althea and Vivien Talbot, Joy Nixon, Joan Holland, Frigilla Wright, Vera Kennedy-Smith, Muriel Uthoff, Gwen Wright, Patsy Watson, Diana and Daphne Ker, Elizabeth Martin, Jean Mayhew, Pamela Jones and Messrs. Philip Musgrave, Alistair and Peter Denbigh, James and Glen Niven, John Holland, David Pannell, Colin Peter, Ruthford, Alistair and Eric Gillespie, Derek Woodcroft, John Ogilvie, Ian McPherson, Ramsay Milne, "Pat" Paterson, Peter Piddington, Wallace Earle, Bill Ridewood, Ernest Chadwick, Tom Bassett, Nicholas and Derek Wilby, Ned and Michael Symons, John Martin, Norman Beard, Noel Gratton, Jack Meredith, Harry Rogers, John George, Peter Cooke and Geoffrey Hotham.

At the customary tea party held after the Women's Canadian Club meeting yesterday afternoon, the executive entertained Professor Stephen Leacock, Professor E. S. Parr, Miss Annie Carlyle and the musicians, Mrs. W. H. Wilson and Mrs. C. C. Warn.

Presiding at the prettily-decorated tea table were Mrs. B. C. Richards and Miss Alma Russell. Others present included Mrs. L. J. Willis, and Mesdames H. L. Campbell, Alfred Carmichael, Charles Conyers, R. W. Mayhew, James Adam, Norman Baker, O. W. Pauline, Mackenzie-Grieve and Miss Hoole, of the club executive, and Mrs. P. M. MacPherson, Mrs. Harman, Mrs. C. A. Hishop, Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, Mrs. M. Carter, Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Mrs. Norma Macdonald, Miss Kathleen Hall, Mrs. J. M. Hatch, Mrs. G. Carter, Mrs. J. P. Hodges, Mrs. A. E. Booth, Mrs. Nanson Knight, Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin, Mrs. W. J. Cave, Mrs. H. A. Jaffe, Mrs. F. H. Harrison, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. L. Delther (Vancouver), Mrs. W. McCarter, Mrs. E. L. Trickey, Mrs. H. C. Kinghorn, Mrs. J. G. Fox, Mrs. Gerald Switzer, Mrs. A. Kinship (Shawinigan Lake), Mme. Grifflin, Mrs. G. R. V. Bolster, Mrs. R. M. Williams, Mrs. H. P. Hughes, Mrs. A. Matheson, Mrs. G. Dickson, Mrs. C. Tice, Miss Olive Heisterman, Mrs. A. S. Denny, Mrs. T. G. Denny, Mrs. F. A. Clarke, Mrs. P. F. Phillips, Mrs. J. M. Clendenen, Mrs. D. M. Duncan, Miss Edna Kells (Edmonton), Mrs. Reese Burns, Mrs. Arthur Dixon, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. H. O. English, Mrs. A. C. Farrell, Mrs. B. Wood, Miss E. Tolmie, Mrs. A. S. Cowan, Mrs. J. A. Kirkpatrick (Sidney), Mrs. Edwin Brown, Mrs. Hardy Devey, Mrs. W. S. Thatcher, Mrs. H. L. Swan, Miss O. Pearson, Mrs. E. P. Lutton, Mrs. May Joyce, the Misses Butler (Sanich), Mrs. Slough, Miss Veveren Albut, Mrs. D. E. Martyn and Mrs. A. A. Meharey.

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It's no trouble at all. Make a syrup by stirring 2 cups of granulated sugar and one cup of water a few moments until dissolved. No cooking is needed—a child could do it.

Now put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex into a 16 oz. bottle, and add your syrup. This gives you 16 ounces of really superior cough remedy—more than you could buy for four times the money. It's perfectly, tastes fine, and lasts a family a long time.

This splendid home mixture has a three-fold action. You can feel it take hold at once. It loosens the phlegm, soothes the irritated membranes, and helps clear the air passages. This explains why it gives such prompt, pleasing results.

Pinex is a compound containing Norway Pine, in concentrated form, well known for its prompt action on throat membranes. Money refunded if it doesn't please you in every way.

**MOTHERS SHOULD REALIZE MATURITY CHANGES BABY'S HABITS**

The maternal urge to keep children babies, and therefore sweetly helpless and dependent is one which seethes in many a mother. She wants to be her baby's slave, to wait upon him hand and foot, in order to advertise her undemanding affection for him.

When it reaches the point at which the child's development is checked, it ceases to be a virtue.

Mrs. T. W. adopted a baby at five months of age, and now at twenty-one months he is still being treated just like an infant. He sleeps until 7 a.m. and is then bathed and dressed and fed. So far so good. But at 11 a.m. instead of a real meal, he goes to bed with a bottle of milk.

Hanna, Mr. Morris, Mr. Kreuger, Mr. Eimer, Mrs. Le Sueur, Mr. Godfrey, David Spencer Ltd. and Economy Laundry.

Lavender—Mrs. Fletcher.  
New material—Miss Saunders.  
Wool—Miss A. Forbes.  
Apples—Mr. Finhorn.

Cash—H. Webster, Canadian Daughter League Association No. 5, Miss Egerton, Bishop and Mrs. Lloyd, Miss M. H. Jones, Mrs. Colclough, Anon (per Workroom), M. Rocco Robertson Chapter I.O.D.E., Mr. Richard Henderson, the King's Daughters, Mrs. C. Reade, Miss V. Tibbot, Anon, Mrs. Leslie Pollard, Mrs. A. H. Rogers, Rotary Club of Victoria, Mrs. E. D. Todd, Dr. G. Laiden, Ready to Help Circle, the King's Daughters, Amputation Association of the Great War, in memory of "J.H.M." Printing House Craftsmen Club, in memory of mother at Christmas (Mrs. E. F. Edwards and George), Miss Junor, Mrs. D. J. Jones, Miss A. Renny, Miss C. A. Renny, Bishop J. L. McDonald, Sir James and Lady Douglas, Chapter I.O.D.E., Mrs. L. M. Dunsmuir, Mrs. C. H. Woods, Miss Jeanette A. Cann, Miss Lucy Angus, Catholic Women's League (Victoria subdivision), Mrs. J. Davies, Mrs. Wilton, Junior Girls' Church of Our Lord and Starlets.

Our leaflets on "Weaning from Bottle to Cup" and "Diet from 2 to 4 years," will show you the changes to be made. They may be had for a self-addressed and 3-cent stamped envelope sent to Myrtle Meyer Eldred, care of the Your Baby and Mine department of this newspaper.

**SEPTUAGENARIAN DIES**  
Calgary, Jan. 5 (Canadian Press).—One of the last surviving witnesses of the rise and fall of the Dominion of Wales, died at his home here yesterday. A year old at the time, Mr. Riley, born in Yorkville, now Toronto, was carried to Queen's Park in his father's arms.

**WHAT TO DO FOR ECZEMA ITCHING AND BURNING**

Wash the affected parts with Resinol Soap and warm water to soften scales and crusts. Resinol Soap is suggested because it contains no excess of free alkali, and is especially suited to tender skin. Dry by patting with a soft cloth—do not rub.

Doctors recommend an oily ointment because it penetrates the outer layers of the skin more effectively. Resinol Ointment meets this requirement, and does even more. For over 40 years it has been—and still is—successfully used to relieve quickly the itching and burning of eczema. It contains soothing ingredients that aid healing.

**Gen. Wm. Booth's Daughter Dies**  
London, Jan. 6.—Marian Booth, seventy-two, daughter of General William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, died today in Sudbury.

A life-long invalid, she was inactive in the work of the Salvation Army but held the honorary title of staff captain.

Her father died in 1912.



# IT WAS SAID

Ray's will soon be broke. He can't stand the loss. The big boys will soon run him out, then up goes the price just like it was before Ray's came to Victoria. Well, we will see. Anyhow, Thursday's Specials are cheaper than ever.

**EGGS** Grade A Fullest, 24c

**EGGS** Grade A Medium, 26c

**EGGS** Grade A Large, 28c

**BUTTER**

First Grade, 3 lb., 88c

**CHEESE** Mild, 2 lb., 21c

**SHREDDED WHEAT** 2 for 15c

Nabob Pumpkin, 2; Columbia Ketchup, 2; Cut Green Beans, 2, 15c

Good Rice, Idaho, 2 lb., 9c

Fetherlite Waffle and Pancake Flour, 10c

OLD CITY PURE MAPLE SYRUP, each, 18c

Evaporated Apricots, Evaporated Peaches, 15c

**Flour** Royal House, 5 lb., 99c

Ogilvie's Wheat-Hearts, 3-lb. bags, each, 18c

York Carobol, 3 for 10c

Robin Hood Oats, large, each, 17c

Rainbow Vinegar, 16-oz., Chow Sauce, Ashcroft Ketchup, each, 8c

Dales Doggie, 2 for 15c

SUNKIST GRAPEFRUIT, 6 for 15c

SUNKIST ORANGES, 25 for 25c

BULK CARROTS, 7 lb., 10c

WAGNER APPLES, 5 lb., 25c

Special, 25c

Pure Sulphur, 4-oz. pkg., 7c

Epsom Salts, 1-lb., per lb., 7c

COLGATE TOOTH PASTE, tube, 19c

CAMPHEURED OIL, 2-oz., 9c

PURE RUSSIAN MINERAL OIL, 16-oz., each, 35c

FLASHLIGHT BATTERIES, standard size, each, 5c

6-lb. ELECTRIC IRONS, \$1.19

**CANDY DEPARTMENT**

Salted Peanuts, lb., 10c

Wrapped Kisses, lb., 12c

Mixed Candy, lb., 13c

New Moist No. 1 Crystallized Ginger, per lb., 10c

**SMOKED MEATS**

SLICED BACON, 15c

SLICED BACON, 25c

BACON, half or whole, 23c

DRY SALT JOWLS, 12c

COTTAGE ROLLS, 23c

SWIFT'S PREMIUM HAMS, 27c

SLICED HAM, 30c

HAM STEAKS, 2 slices, 25c

**FRESH FISH DEPT.**

FRESH CAUGHT WHITING, 2 lb., 9c

FRESH DEEP-SEA COD, 17c

FRESH LEMON SOLES, 2 lb., 25c

Fresh Skate, 2 lb., for 25c

FRESH RED SPRING SALMON, per lb., 27c

Sooke Crabs, 2 for 35c

FRESH WHITING FILLETS, 2 lb., 25c

**FRESH MEAT DEPT.**

Hamburger Steak, 7c

Sausage Meat, 15c

Fresh Pork Liver, 15c

Fresh Beef Hearts, 15c

STEVENING BEEF, 15c

VEAL STEAK, 15c

PORK STEAK, 15c

VEAL ROAST, 15c

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## Refused to Lead Nazi Tune

Dutch Orchestra "Jibs" at Gala Festival

By THOMAS HAMILTON  
Associated Press Foreign Staff  
Associated Press

The Hague, Jan. 6.—A Dutch orchestra leader's refusal to conduct the Nazi "Horst Wessel" at a royal entertainment rivalled public interest today, the festivities for Crown Princess Juliana's wedding tomorrow.

The incident occurred before 1,500 guests, including the bride couple and Queen Wilhelmina, at a gala festival last night. It marked the latest setback to the Netherlands hopes of keeping the wedding a "family affair" and avoiding international complications due to the German origin of Prince Bernhard of Lippe-Biesterfeld, Juliana's fiancé.

Dr. Peter van Anrooy, a well-known conductor, explained later he did not object to leading "Deutschland Über Alles," which also was on the programme, but would never play a political party song such as "Horst Wessel."

The leader of a Dutch military band conducted the two German selections and Dr. Van Anrooy directed the rest of the programme.

Imprisoned tax defaulters and other offenders looked toward the royal wedding gleefully, hopeful of Queen Wilhelmina's amnesty in celebration.

Among those who expected to benefit were mutineers of the Dutch warship Zeven Provinciën, who seized the vessel in the Dutch East Indies four years ago, surrendering only after a seaplane had bombed it and killed twenty-three men.

**JEWISH PROTEST**

Because the German anthems were played last night, Jewish authorities at The Hague remained away in protest against Nazi anti-Jewish activities.

Few swastika flags were on display. Only one was flown prominently over the German legation—and it was guarded day and night to prevent a repetition of the pulling down of a German flag last Saturday.

Queen Wilhelmina, Juliana's mother, will grant freedom to 150 prisoners on the wedding day. Sentences of others will be reduced to periods ranging between four and six weeks, while full pardons will be granted 1,300 violators of the tax laws, a statement said.

## IMPORTED CORN MUST PAY DUTY

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—The duty on corn imported into Canada became automatically restored on New Year's Day. It has been learned from National Revenue officials. The tariff was suspended some months ago when Canada faced a shortage in domestic supplies.

The tariff is three cents a bushel under the British preference, twenty cents intermediate and twenty-five cents general. In the case of South Africa free entry of corn from that Dominion is guaranteed as a special preference and when the general suspension of tariff was made, South Africa's consent had to be obtained. This was secured by reason of the fact that the Union was itself short of supplies.

Most of the corn imported during the suspension of the impost was obtained from Argentina.



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## Skating Queen's Romance



Evidence for Hollywood matchmakers: Sonja Henie meets Tyrone Powers, Jr., at Newark Airport. The unallied pleasure of the twain on seeing each other lends credence to reports that the beautiful Swedish figure skating champion and the rising young cinema idol were starting in the movies' newest romance.

## Over 700 Laugh With Dr. Stephen Leacock

Noted Humorist Regales Women's Canadian Club Gathering With Characteristic Talk on "Humor, a Serious Matter"

Declaring that, although "humorists like myself are usually looked down upon," humor is one of the greatest influences and most useful assets in a distressed world, Professor Stephen Leacock regaled a huge audience composed of members of the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon with a diverting causerie on "Humor, a Serious Matter."

**HUMBLE BEGINNING**

Punctuating his address with characteristic chuckles and many anecdotes and witticisms, the eminent economist and popular humorist traced the development of humor from its earliest beginnings.

As humanity came up from the primal ooze and had a humble beginning, so humor began with lowly things. It began with a humble and even malevolent character, of which modern humor still bears traces, he said. Primitive humor was of the destructive type and the recrudescence of that characteristic in modern times could be seen in such writings as Capt. Harry Gray's "Ruthless Rhymes for Heartless Homes," in which fun was poked at the ills that happened to other people.

But as humanity progressed so the character of its humor changed. A humor grew up which was based on the theme of contrast, and the most effective form of humor became that which could be traced to incongruity, depending for its appeal purely on the turn of a word.

This coupled a heroic form of verse with an underbelly quality of subject, the contrast of the grandeur of setting and the simplicity of behaviour.

**THE VOGUE OF THE FUN**

The pun was a notable example of Victorian humor, continued Dr. Leacock, and he quoted some of the gems accredited to Rev. Sidney Smith, the great English wit and master punster. Another method of the Victorian age, in which the vogue of punning reached its zenith, was "to take puns and emban them."

**THE HUMOR OF DICKENS**

After touching upon the genius of the great English humorist, Dickens, and his gift for satirization of human foibles softened by kindly forgiveness, the speaker noted that satire is a form of humor which turns not so much upon words as on thoughts. In close relation to it was burlesque, which connoted not a work for word parable, but a reproduction of the weakness of other things by exaggeration.

**"WELL-TURNED" HEROES**

With a chuckle, Dr. Leacock placed in this category the hero of the "Ouida" type of love story. This invariably had a hero with straight legs, an "undefinable well-tubed air" (whatever that may mean) and "clean-shaven." And here the speaker mourned the departure of the early Victorian hero who boasted a fine set of whiskers, "immortalized in Longfellow's 'This is the Forest Prim-

eval," a remark which evoked much laughter.

Fun was also poked at the tendency of certain types of novelists who always spoke of a dress as a gown, which always clings.

"But as a professor I wore a gown for thirty-five years, and it didn't cling. And as an old-fashioned citizen I still wear a gown at night—and it doesn't cling nor reveal the lines of my figure," he said to the amusement of the audience.

**ENGLISH "LITERATE"**

The characteristically British humor of Punch was referred to by Dr. Leacock, who quoted some of the writings of St. Leger in the famous periodical. "The English are a more literate race than we; we are the mechanical geniuses of the world, but there they know the true beauty and the use of words," he said.

Dr. Leacock spoke of the difference between the English literature of the Victorian age, marked by the "towering eminence of men like Macaulay and Tennyson" and that of today. "There is no time today for the sustained effort that was made in the generation that I adored," was his comment.

The lasting appeal of such humorists as Dickens and Mark Twain lay in the fact that they portrayed life. Some had claimed that this generation did not read or enjoy as the eternal truth, the speaker maintained, and would have a vogue long after the present age had passed, because of his humanity.

Mrs. S. J. Willis presided, and Mrs. H. P. Hodges moved the vote of thanks to the speaker. Mrs. W. H. Wilson, ably accompanied at the piano by Mrs. C. C. Warn, sang with her usual charm "Road to the Isles" and "Shoes."

## Trials Will Follow Deaths in Russia

Associated Press

Moscow, Jan. 6.—With at least twelve children burned to death and hundreds injured in New Year's tree fires, the newspaper Za Kommunisticheskoye Prosvetsheniye (Communist Education) yesterday announced those responsible would be arrested and tried.

Thirty-one children were injured gravely and one died when a fire broke out in a room into which 470 children were crowded. Other fires were reported from other sections of Russia.

The fires were due largely to the desire of Russians to make a big event of the official return of trees for heralding the New Year. In some cases, decorators used heavy candles which overburdened the trees.

## MOSLEYITES SAY FUNDS AVAILABLE

Canadian Press from Havas

London, Jan. 6.—Sir Oswald Mosley's British Union of Fascists formally denied yesterday the death of Lady Houston, eccentric millionaire, would affect the financial status of the organization.

It had been reported that Lady Houston contributed large sums to the Fascist "war chest." It was stated that plans of the organization to put up candidates at the next general election still stood and that an increase in the number of candidates, already about 100, was envisaged.

## Victorians On Big Broadcast

Local Talent Will Take Part in Opening of New Vancouver Studios

Victoria will be represented in a broadcast for the entire North American continent and possibly England about February 15. It has been announced here by Dick Claringbull, programme director of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation outlet in Vancouver, CBCV.

Mr. Claringbull was securing talent in Victoria yesterday for the part of the broadcast allocated to this city in the gala opening of the new CBCV studios and transmitter.

Quick pick-ups from every large city in the Dominion, including Victoria, will be made following a CBCV feature at 6 o'clock the evening the new station opens. The entire programme will be sent to the Columbia Network, the National Broadcasting Company network and the Mutual Broadcasting System in the United States. It is planned, and possibly to the BBC in England.

Victoria will be featured prominently in a second show after a quarter-hour break at 7:30 o'clock, according to present plans.

The new transmitter, which increases the power of CBCV from 500 watts to 5,000 watts, will be opened simultaneously with the new studios on the ground and mezzanine floors of the C.N.R. hotel in Vancouver. The studios, which are the most modern in Canada, include three broadcasting rooms, audition, observation and clients' rooms and a master control room. The transmitter, a modern vertical type, is on Lulu Island.

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# JANUARY SALE



**Hudson's Bay Company**  
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**ICE SKATES**  
C.C.M. Ladies' Nemo Tube Skates; outside support. Special, \$4.75  
C.C.M. Men's Nemo Tube Skates. Special. \$4.75  
Boys' and Girls' Tube Skates, attached to boots. \$4.35  
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**H B C SERVICE SPECIALS**  
BUY "BAY" QUALITY FOODS. FREE DELIVERY  
TO YOUR DOOR—PHONE SERVICE OPEN  
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**SALE OF SUNKIST ORANGES AT NEW LOW PRICES**  
Large size, regular 35c dozen. Special, per dozen, 25c  
1/2 case, 1.95  
Medium size, regular 23c dozen. Special, 3 dozen 50c  
1/2 case 1.95

Fancy McIntosh Red Apples, 3 lbs. 25c  
Sunkist Lemons, fresh shipment, dozen 25c  
Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs. 25c  
Okanagan Wagner Apples, good for eating and cooking, 5 lbs. 25c  
Savoy Cabbage, large, each, 10c  
40-lb. box 1.79  
Spinach, 3 lbs. 25c

**KAMLOOPS NETTED GEM POTATOES, 2.19**  
quality guaranteed, per sack

**CANDY SPECIALS**  
English Licorice Assorted, special, per lb. 19c  
Rochon's Peppermint Humbugs, special, per 1/2 lb. 18c  
Sugared Peanuts, special, lb. 19c

**BULK MUSTARD, 33c**  
special, per lb.  
**BLACK PEPPER, 19c**  
bulk, special, per lb.

Crawford's Crabmeat, fancy Canadian, 1/2 lb. tin 21c  
Morton's Bloaters, 3-oz. tin for 7c  
Pickled Pigs Feet, fancy, 9-oz. jar 23c  
Counell Brand Potted Meats, 1/2 lb. tin 7c

**DEL MAIZE NIBLETS, fancy Golden Bantam corn, 2 for 25c**  
fresh corn off the cob; 12-oz. tin, special

TEA—H B C Turban blend, strong and flavorful. Special, per lb. 47c  
3 lbs. for 1.35  
COFFEE—H B C Mocha and Java brand, freshly roasted and ground, special, per lb. 47c

**ONE DAY SALE ONLY H B C HIGH-CLASS SMOKED MEATS**  
**BACON, Back or Side, sliced, per lb. 29c**  
**AYRSHIRE ROLL OR HAM, sliced, per lb. 29c**  
**COTTAGE ROLL, whole or half, per lb. 22c**

**TOMORROW'S MEAT SPECIAL FEATURES CHOICE MUTTON—TRY THIS WITH CAPER SAUCE**

LEGS MUTTON, per lb.	16c	SIRLOIN STEAK, per lb.	24c
LOIN MUTTON, per lb.	15c	ROUND STEAK, per lb.	20c
BREASTS, per lb.	6c	WING STEAKS, per lb.	22c
SHOULDER MUTTON, per lb.	8c	FRESH COD, per lb.	15c
RIB CHOPS, per lb.	13c	SMOKED FILLETS, per lb.	15c
LOIN CHOPS, per lb.	16c	SMOKED GOLDFISH, per lb.	37c

**One-house Plan For Nebraska**

State Is First in U.S. to Adopt Unicameral Legislature System

Associated Press  
Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 6.—Nebraska's new, one-house legislative machine was in action today, following a four-hour harmonious opening session yesterday at which it perfected its permanent organization.  
Lieut.-Governor Walter Jurgensen, presiding officer, called the nation's first unicameral law-making body into session. Spectators overflowed from the galleries to the floor.  
"From now on," U.S. Senator George W. Norris told the forty-three members elected on a non-partisan basis, "Nebraska has a right to expect a business administration."  
Charles Warner, a veteran of twenty-five years in Nebraska Legislature, following his election as Speaker, cautioned that "an efficient Legislature" did not necessarily mean "speed in converting bills into law."

**PRISON INQUIRY SESSIONS IN B.C.**

Ottawa, Jan. 6 (Canadian Press).—The royal commission inquiring into the Canadian penitentiaries will resume its investigation some time around the middle of January. It was learned here yesterday, St. Vincent de Paul prison in Montreal will be the locale of the investigation when it starts up again.  
AT VANCOUVER  
Vancouver, Jan. 6.—Police Magistrate H. S. Wood was appointed by the Vancouver police commission yesterday to aid the federal commission investigating Canada's penal institutions when that body sits here.  
Magistrate Wood was instructed to communicate with the commission, ascertain the scope of its inquiry and obtain any information regarding local conditions which might be useful to the investigating body.

**OFFICIAL STARTS FORTIETH YEAR**

Canadian Press  
New York, Jan. 6.—Duncan MacInnes, a Scotsman born and bred who has gained considerable local renown by pinching taxpayers' pennies in his capacity as first deputy city comptroller, today was launched on his fortieth and final year as an employee of the finance department.  
Mr. MacInnes' heart is buried brated his seventy-fifth birthday. He knows as "the best watchdog the city treasury ever had." He will throw away his harness because he is far past the retirement age, not because he wants to.  
Mr. MacInnes' heart is buried deeply in his work among dollars and cents—even though they are not his own.  
"Man, it's dramatic," he said in recounting the steady reduction in net interest costs and city bonds from around 4 per cent two years ago to a low of 1.117699 per cent at present.

**VANCOUVER FUNERAL**

Vancouver, Jan. 6.—A funeral service was held here today for the late Roderick B. Macfarlane. The eighty-year-old retired mining broker and friend of Vancouver's pigeons, died Sunday. Mr. Macfarlane was born in Scotland and for many years had been a familiar sight on Victory Square, feeding grain and bread to pigeons and other birds.

**JANUARY**

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**JANUARY SALES**

**OUTSTANDING DRUG SALE**

**\* SPECIAL ROAST TURKEY LUNCHEON**  
A delicious Luncheon 40c  
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**\* FLOOR BROOMS**  
English make... Regular 1.50, 1.00  
Sift-chine Flour Sifters  
They sift twice in operation, and you only need to use one hand to work them. Regular 1.25, 89c  
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**\* English Paring Knives**  
Made of Sheffield steel. Blade is riveted to handle. Regular 25c, 9c  
**Towel or Clothes Rack**  
Regular 1.19. Made of metal, and will swing back to wall when not in use. 5 arms. With screws. —"Bay," Third Floor

**\* 3-piece TEA SETS**  
1 only. Silver-plated set in smart design. Regular 17.50, 14.50, 17.95  
1 ONLY. COCKTAIL SHAKER  
Silver plated. 9.50  
1 ONLY. ENTREE DISH  
Good size, neat design and decoration. Regular 15.00, 9.95  
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**\* Silverware Clearance**  
HEAVY SILVER-PLATED CHOP DSH. Regular 6.95, 5.00  
1 CHEESE AND CRACKER DISH. Good size. Regular 7.50, 4.95  
BON-BON DISHES. Regular 1.00, 99c  
CAKE BASKETS—with base-type handle. English plating. Reg. 4.95, 3.95  
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**\* Here's a Grand Opportunity to Buy Church's Famous English Shoes for Women At a Sale Price!**  
Regular 12.50 and 13.50! Selection includes black, brown, grey and white comfortable walking shoes.  
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A few pigskin seconds and some heavy Suede Gloves in a lovely shade of brown. All sizes in the lot. 1.39 PAIR  
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**\* FULL-FASHIONED CREPE HOSIERY**  
Subs of 1.00 lines! Neat appearance and better-wearing qualities make this Hosiery very popular. All sizes and good colors. 79c pr. 2 prs. 1.50  
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**Thursday — Friday — Saturday**

KOTEX—Economy packages, 48 pads	77c	H B C MILK OF MAGNESIA, 22-oz.	59c
KLEENEX, 500 tissues	39c	Lydia Pinkham's Compound, 1.25 value, Italian Balm	1.09
Giant Toilet Tissue, 10 rolls	59c	Gillette Razor and Blades	55c
LUX TOILET SOAP—10 cakes	55c	Scaldis Pedicure Powder, large	2 boxes 25c
Lyons' Tooth Powder, 39c		Salts Boracic Acid, 1-lb. packages	19c
Colgate's Tooth Paste, 33c		Ayer's Cod Liver Oil, 10-oz.	89c
HOT WATER BOTTLES, 1-year guarantee, red or blue	49c	Carter's Little Liver Pills	69c
Dr. West Tooth Paste	19c	CHASE'S NERVE PILLS	49c
BULK ENGLISH BATH SOAPS, reg. 2 for 25c, Special 3 for 25c	25c	Mum, large size	53c
Forhan's Tooth Paste, large tube	39c	Edy's Toilet Tissue, special 4 for 1.29	1.29
RAYE'S ASPIRIN TABLETS, 100s	98c	Peppermint Tooth Powder, large	39c
Peroxide, 8-oz. bottles	29c	Noxema, regular	15c
Kruschen Salts, giant size	69c	HERGEN'S ASSORTED SOAPS—rose, lilac, lavender, jasmine, at 6 for 25c	25c
Palmolive Shave Cream, large size	39c	Horlick's Malted Milk, Medals, at 2 pkgs.	98c
Pond's Creams, cold, vanishing, 4-oz. jars	49c	Phillip's Milk of Magnesia, regular 50c, Lichney Soap, 5 for 69c	43c
H B C Almond Lotion, 16-oz. size	59c	DAGGETT & RAMSDELL'S COLD CREAM, 8-oz. jars	89c
Petrolatum, 16-oz. bottles 3 for 1.00	1.00	Ipava Tooth Paste	43c
Dependent Tooth Paste	37c	PALMOLIVE TOILET SOAP, 10 for 45c	45c
Vick's Vapo Rub	47c	Fountain Syringes	89c
ENO'S FRUIT SALT Family size	79c	ABSORBINE JUNIOR, Reg. 1.35	99c
Squibb's Paste, 3 tubes, 75c value for 50c	50c	Scott's Emulsion, large size	98c
Gay Paree Face Powder and Perfume, 65c value	49c	SANITWHITE TOILET TISSUE, 10 for 63c	63c
Houbigant Dusting Powder, 2.00 value for 88c	88c		
Orrisine, large size	98c		
Listerine, 16-oz. bottles	79c		
Razee Blades, blue steel 25 for 35c	35c		

**MATTRESSES AND BEDS**  
REDUCED FOR QUICK CLEARANCE

Featuring deep-cut reductions in Simmons, Restmore and other high-grade lines. Mostly one-of-a-kind... DRASTICALLY reduced for quick clearance!

Reg Price	Sale Price	You Save
8 SIMMONS AND RESTMORE STEEL BEDS. Double and single size	6.75	4.50 2.25
3 SIMMONS AND RESTMORE STEEL PANEL BEDS. Double and single size	8.95	5.50 3.45
1 RESTMORE PANEL BED. Single size	13.50	8.50 5.00
12 SIMMONS FELTED MATTRESSES—3-foot size. Special		3.95
FLOOR SAMPLE ROLL-UP MATTRESS	3.95	1.95 2.00
2 DOUBLE-BED SIZE FELTED MATTRESSES	5.95	1.95 4.00
11 REGAL SPRING-FILLED MATTRESSES. Double and single sizes	14.95	10.50 4.45
1 SPECIAL SPRING-FILLED MATTRESS. Double-bed size	29.50	16.95 12.55
1 PREMIER SPRING-FILLED MATTRESS. Double-bed size	19.50	14.95 4.55

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Wide range of choice fabrics—all marked delightfully low, as you can see! Crepes, Prints, Sheers, Washable Satins, Taffetas, Moires and Ruff Weaves; 38-inch. Yard 84c  
ALL WANTED SHADES

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Supple and soft draping. Pastels, white, black. Yard 1.95  
Use Butterick or Vogue Patterns!

**FLANNELETTE BLANKETS**  
Size 70x90 inches. 2.39  
All white. Pair 2.89

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Comfy as can be on the coldest nights. Blue or rose borders. Pair 3.49  
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Pep up your wilting wardrobe with a refreshing Print Frock! These are new in and very different... flower or scatter designs. Riotous colors! All sizes up to 44.  
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150 All-wool Vests, Panties, Bloomers and Combinations. Famous brands such as "Thermolux," "Moodie's," "Harvey's" and novelty-English lines. Broken assortment of colors, styles and sizes, including 1 Off Prices outsize 3 Marked

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Regular 2.49 and 2.95 values! 100 Long-sleeve Dresses in the popular fabric. Smartly finished. Many styles, colors and sizes. Clearing at 1.98  
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BOOT LACES 3 prs. in bundle. Black only 3 bundles 25c  
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TWO-WAY-STRETCH "LASTEX" GIRDLES First quality; 4 hose supporters. Small, medium, large 77c  
CUSHIONS Plumply filled with kapok 39c  
SCISSORS Assorted—embroidery or blunt-end types 25c  
ELASTIC 1/2-inch; 6 yards in bundle 12c  
MEXICAN SEWINGS 80-yard spools. All shades 3 for 12c  
WATER WAVE COMBS 6 in box 25c  
Regular 50c  
RUBBER APRONS Assorted styles; assorted floral patterns 69c  
IRONING BOARD COVERS—of sturdy unbleached cotton; with ties. WAIST HANGERS Natural finish 35c  
HAIRPINS Assorted lengths. Black or brown 3 for 12c  
MENDING PLATS Variegated colors 3 for 25c  
SANITARY BELTS Pinless; adjustable 14c  
BRASSIERS Well made and lace trimmed or plain. White, pink, tea rose 29c  
IRONING BOARD PADS Thick quality padding; standard board size 49c  
LINGERIE AND HOSIERY DRESSIES Handy and useful 15c  
BOBBY PINS black or brown; assorted sizes 3 for 10c  
SEWING SILK — 50-yard spools, good colors 3 for 12c  
DRESS SHIELDS—English make. Rubberized nainsook, 25c  
TUCK STITCH UNDIES—Y-shaped vests and panties. Medium or large. Each 27c  
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Regular 35c and 50c! 300 only—superfine Irish linen. Snowy white... hemstitched borders. Marked to clear, at 25c  
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# Victoria Daily Times



SECOND SECTION

VICTORIA, B.C., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1937

SECOND SECTION

## Australian Cricketers Close Great Innings For 564 Runs

### THE SPORTS MIRROR

By PETE SALLAWAY

DESPITE the fact they lost the Anson Cup to their friendly rivals, the Saturday League in successive games, officials and players of the Wednesday Football League, still hold the opinion they can field a team that will mark up a victory. With this in mind the mid-weekers are anxious to play the third game of the best two-out-of-three series, even though the Victoria and District League has become official holder of the cup for the next twelve months in view of the two straight victories of their representatives. Whether or not the game will be played rests in the hands of the week-enders and right now they have made no decision.

To back up their argument the Wednesday Leaguers point to the fact that their weakened eleven was only beaten by two goals in the second match. On New Year's Day, of the original squad chosen to play, three players, Cockrill, Magee and Kennedy were missing. With these men on the field the team would have given a much improved performance, the mid-weekers claim. However, the Wednesday representatives take their two defeats in good grace but want another chance to prove themselves. Maybe they will get the opportunity.

Give a fellow a big hand and he'll pay dividends in any form of athletics, provided he has a fair share of the other physical requirements.

There have been exceptions, to be sure. For instance, the original Jack Dempsey, the Nonpareil, had the hands of a girl. So has Tony Canzoneri, but the mighty few who have done big things with small mitts only stress the hand-cup they place upon the combatant.

Managers, coaches, and instructors in all games study the hands of newcomers. In contests played with a ball, they find that chaps with generous mitts rarely are fumbleheads, and in case you don't know it, just as many basketball engagements are fumbled away in a season as rugby, football and baseball games.

In boxing, brittle hands usually are the result of a warrior hitting too hard for the size of his fists.

The Original Celtics, including the famous trio of Nat Holman, Johnny Beckman, and Dutch Dehnert, probably rank as basketball's greatest team because of their dazzling passing forays.

The secret of the Celtics' success was that they were adept in all forms of accurate and trick relay passing.

They could do everything but make the basketball talk with their hands. Their hands controlled the flight of the ball so completely that they seldom failed to place it within inches of the destination for which the sphere was intended, whether the pass was short or the full length of the court.

A player who wears out quickly cannot win games with momentary offensive spurts. For every point he scores in basketball, for example, his weariness and subsequent lapses will permit the opposition to tally two.

A player who bravely attempts to carry on while in physical distress is much more worthy than a player out of shape, but the result is the same.

A tired athlete or one in poor condition is worse than no player at all. Absent, the player merely is missed, but one incapable of holding up his end botches up team unity and gets in everyone's way. The line between in shape and out of shape, perhaps is finer in basketball than in any other sport.

Knute Rockne thought up the shock troop idea in football to give Notre Dame regulars of the future experience, however brief, under fire. Second stringers are employed to give first stringers opportunities to rest.

But regulars in all games should be capable of playing the limit, unless injured.

### Max Schmeling To Go on Tour

New York, Jan. 6.—Joe Jacobs, manager of Max Schmeling, said yesterday he had closed with promoters of sixteen cities for an exhibition tour for the German heavyweight, starting March 1 and lasting for about five weeks. Jacobs said Schmeling would net \$50,000 from the tour.

### Bradman Put Out For 270; England Gets 236 For Six

Touring Eleven Faces Defeat in Third Test Match at Melbourne

### Leyland Gives Fine Display

Canadian Press

Melbourne, Australia, Jan. 6.—Defeat faced England in the third cricket test match against Australia today. Scoring 564 in their second innings, the Australians set their opponents to make 689 runs in the last innings of the match on the fifth day of play. At the close, England had made 236 for six. Don Bradman carried his score from 248 to 270 before he was dismissed near the close of the Aussies' innings and his great display was followed by a splendid effort by Maurice Leyland as England attempted to hit off the arrears. The Yorkshireman played in his usual dogged style and at the close had made 69 not out. Wally Hammond was retired after compiling 51.

Australia's first innings was declared with the total of 300 for nine wickets, while England declared at 76 for nine.

L. B. Fishlock, young Surrey player, took the place of William Voce, Nottinghamshire fast bowler, when play was resumed before 25,000 spectators in dull weather today. Voce retired a sore ankle. Bradman and Stanley McCabe carried the score from 500 to 511, when the latter was put out leg-before-wicket by G. O. Allen, English captain, for the fall of the seventh wicket. The New South Wales player made 22 runs.

### DISMISSED FOR DUCK

L. S. Darling, Victoria, pulled a ball from Allen on to his wicket before he had scored and then M. W. Sievers, another Victoria, stayed with Bradman until the Aussie captain left at 549. Never thoroughly confident when opposing Hedley Verity, star spin bowler, Bradman skied a ball to Allen, field at mid-on. He attempted to pull but was deceived by the pace of Verity's delivery. The Australian's first two innings was all the more remarkable because it was revealed he had suffered from a slight attack of influenza during the last two days. When England went to the wickets in the final innings he was unable to field. C. L. Badcock taking his place in the field. Bradman played quietly today and failed to hit a boundary. In making 270 he was at the wickets 7 hours 38 minutes, hitting 22 fours.

### W. A. Oldfield paired with Sievers for the last wicket but the veteran wicket keeper was dismissed after scoring seven, Sievers being not out with 25.

### ENGLISH INNINGS

The crowd had increased to 45,000 after lunch, when T. Worthington, Derbyshire, and C. Barnett, Gloucestershire, started England's second innings. The Gloucester man hit out while his colleague defended. With 29 runs on the board, Barnett got his leg in front of one of W. J. O'Reilly's offerings for the fall of the first wicket. He made 23 runs.

Hammond partnered Worthington, but the latter edged a ball to Sievers in the slips with the total at 65. Frank Ward being the bowler. The young Derbyshire pro scored only 18 runs, but he defended well for eighty-two minutes.

Leyland came in with Hammond, and the veterans took no chances. At the tea interval England stood at 98 for two, and Hammond was not dismissed until the score had been taken to 117. When he had made 51, Sievers beat him with an unusually fast ball that took the off stump. Hammond batted for seventy-eight minutes, hitting seven boundaries.

Leslie Ames, Kent wicketkeeper, made 19 in half an hour, three times sent the ball to the ropes. L. O. Fleetwood-Smith, Victoria googly bowler, got his wicket. The fifth wicket fell at 179, Joseph Hardstaff, Nottinghamshire, hitting 17 when he fell a victim to the wiles of the Victoria spin expert. Allen made 11 and then R. W. V. Robins stayed with Leyland until the end. The Middlesex star made 27 not out in twenty minutes. He made several sweeping drives that included three fours.

While his colleagues lost their wickets, Leyland played a cool game, his work being featured by straight drives and powerful leg strokes. At the close he had been two hours at the wickets for seven fours.

The score card:

Australia (first innings), 300 for nine wickets, declared.  
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### Billy Buxton Meets Tolteco

Seattle, Jan. 6.—Billy Buxton, the hard-punching Victoria youngster who has belted out five of his last six ring opponents, was signed yesterday to battle Chief Tolteco, Aztec Indian featherweight from Mexico City, in the six-round semi-final of next Tuesday night's boxing card at the Crystal Pool.

Tolteco, who fought last week in Sacramento, leaves for Seattle today to put in a few days' training on the ground. Buxton has just about run out of opponents near his weight in this neck of the woods.

A few more wins under his belt and the dynamite-socking youngster will be headed for windup meles here. Billy is a cool-headed, shifty scrapper and has plenty of color.

### BARNEY ROSS IS WORRIED

Financial Prospects of Welter Boxing Champion Suffer Sudden Collapse

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Barney Ross, the world welterweight boxing champion, wondered today what had become of his rosy financial prospects of six months ago.

Last June the Chicago youngster and his co-managers, Sam Pain and Art Winch, were all steamed up over a boom season built around a title battle with Jack Carroll, the Australian champion, at Sydney, in December. It looked as though there might be around \$100,000 worth of profit coming up.

Ross was to get \$45,000 and \$5,000 for expenses to meet Carroll. Also there were plans for a battle with Jimmy McLarnin, the Vancouver Celt, and one with Pedro Montanez, sensational Puerto Rican youngster.

### WOULD DODGE GARCIA

Today, the only definite business in sight was something Ross and his board of strategy don't want under the terms offered—a championship defence against Cefirino Garcia, a Madison Square Garden for a percentage of the "gate."

The Australian jaunt blew up when the \$45,000 guarantee was not deposited in a Chicago bank. Montanez has retired temporarily to Puerto Rico. Another duel with McLarnin is just barely possible.

"I never felt better, or had less," the welterweight king said as he resumed drills just in case something turns up. "Things looked great last summer, but they're certainly terrible in my division now. I was thinking the other day that a good street fight would come in handy for a workout."

Neither Ross nor Pain, who is under suspension in New York for refusing to accept a percentage offer to defend the championship against Garcia, can see any sense in meeting the Filipino.

"That fight wouldn't draw anything," Ross insisted. "When I fought Izzy Jannagosa a while back in New York we drew about \$18,000 net. Imagine that for a championship fight."

### Juvenile Soccer

Providing the ground conditions are improved, the following juvenile soccer games will be played on Saturday:

### First Division

Britannia Branch Cubs vs. Hill's Corner, Heywood Avenue, referee, E. Borge.

### Second Division

Strawberry Vale vs. Oak Bay Rovers, Hampton Road; referee, C. MacDonald.

### Fourth Division

Bluebirds vs. Victoria Athletic Club, Athletic Park; referee, Terry Peers.

Oakland Aces vs. Oak Bay Ramblers, Spencer's Park; referee, D. Swan.

Kick-off at 10:30 o'clock.

### COLWOOD CLOSED

The Colwood Golf Club course is closed on account of snow until further notice, Secretary J. H. "Mickey" Richardson announced yesterday.

### STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

—By John Hix



A POTATO WEIGHING 5 1/4 POUNDS WAS FOUND BY DR. C. F. CLARK IN GREELEY, COLO.

WITHOUT DIKES 33% OF HOLLAND'S LAND SURFACE WOULD BE FLOODED REGULARLY EVERY 24 HOURS

### SAVED BY HIS SPEECH

SHOT BY A CRANK—THEODORE ROOSEVELT WAS SAVED FROM DEATH WHEN THE MANUSCRIPT OF A SPEECH HE CARRIED LESSENED THE BULLET'S FORCE... HE DELIVERED THE ADDRESS WHEN IT WAS FOUND THE BULLET HAD ENTERED HIS LUNG—IT REMAINED THERE THE REST OF HIS LIFE!

Milwaukee, Wis., 1912

### SAVED BY HIS SPEECH

On his way to a political rally where he was scheduled to speak in behalf of his candidacy for President, Theodore Roosevelt walked out of the Gilpatrick Hotel to be met by a would-be assassin's bullet. October 14, 1912. It came from the gun of a crank, John Shrank of New York City. Only six feet away when fired, the bullet struck "Teddy" high on his right side and was slowed down in ripping through his overcoat, glasses case, and the manuscript of the speech he was about to deliver. The leaden pellet lodged in his lung but had been retarded sufficiently to save his life.

Refusing medical attention, Roosevelt made an hour and a half address before being treated by a doctor.

Strange as it seems, the bullet never was removed from Roosevelt's lung. He carried it with him until his death, eighteen years ago today.

### BANDIT EPIGRAPH

Equally as famed for his gallant behavior toward ladies as for his daring and successful career as a highwayman, Claude DuVall rests under a highly appropriate epitaph. The terror of all French and English traveling gentry, "Robin Hood of the Seventeenth Century" was honored by having a price set on his head by no less a personage than the king of England himself.

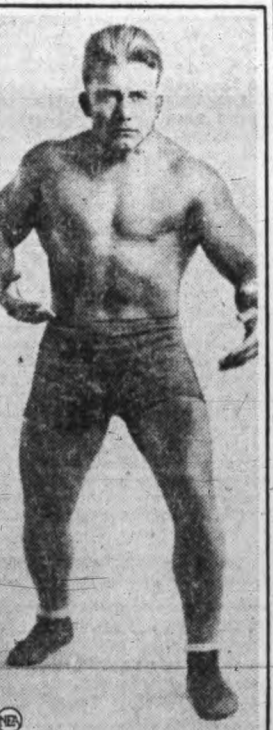
Finally captured, he was found guilty on six separate charges, was condemned, and met death by execution at Tyburn, England. For a while his body lay in state, viewed by vast multitudes of people, and then was laid away with pomp and ceremony under the centre aisle of the fashionable Covent Garden Church.

Today the worn letters of the inscription on his tombstone can still be read:

"Reader, if male thou art, look to thy purse; if female, to thy heart."

Tomorrow: The Pirate's Church.

### Latest Champ



### EVERETT MARSHALL

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Everett Marshall of La Junta, Colo., held recognition in Illinois today as the world heavyweight wrestling champion.

Marshall threw Jim McMillen, Antioch, Ill., last night after slightly more than seventy-one minutes of grappling in a ninety-minute time limit bout witnessed by 6,000 spectators. With a back body drop Marshall ended the bout, recognized as a world championship affair.

### Dominoes Will Meet Tacomans Here Saturday; Games Tonight

The Wheeler-Osgood hoop quintette from Tacoma will be in town Saturday to take on the Dominoes in an intercity exhibition tussle. It will be the fifth appearance of an out-of-town squad in Victoria this season.

The local quintette is offered a fine chance to limber up for the week-end engagement this evening when they oppose Charlie Morton's Capitals in a senior A men's league tussle at the High School gym. To head a three-game card, "Gainers" Superiors will take the floor against the Burdett's in the opener at 7 o'clock, while the Liberty Cafe and West Saanich Mercantiles, senior B teams, will meet in the second exhibition.

The Dominoes-Wheeler-Osgood tilt should be one of the best this season. The Tacomans have measured the Washington Huskies and C.P.S. for defeats and are smart ball handlers. The locals have bowed to defeat but once in their four tussles with visiting clubs.

### Big Seven of Major Hockey

Neil Colville, the high-scoring wingman of New York Rangers, jumped back into the big seven last night as he picked up three points while the National Hockey League scoring leaders went pointless. He shared fourth place with Detroit's Marty Barry, four points below Larry Aurie, who remained on top, with 22 points.

Jimmy Ward of Maroons made his first big seven appearance in a three-way tie for the last two places.

The leaders follow:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Aurie, Detroit	13	9	22
Schriner, Americans	9	12	21
Gagnon, Canadiens	12	8	20
N. Colville, Rangers	7	11	18
Barry, Detroit	4	14	18
Carr, Americans	10	7	17
Ward, Maroons	10	7	17
Lewis, Detroit	10	7	17

Owing to unplayable grounds the three Wednesday Football League matches scheduled for this afternoon were called off.

### Fitzsimmons Doubtful

New York, Jan. 6.—Sunny Jim Fitzsimmons, who developed Gallant Fox, Omaha and Graniteville, doubts that lightning can strike four times in the same place.

For that matter, Fitzsimmons did not believe it would strike thrice, but alone came Graniteville to repeat the performances of the Fox and Omaha in winning the 1936 three-year-old championship.

"I doubt if anyone, much less myself, will have a three-year-old this year in the class of Graniteville, Omaha or Gallant Fox," declared the veteran trainer, who is racing a string of horses in Florida this winter.

Out of a large string quartered at winter headquarters, Fitzsimmons saw only a faint hope he might have a top-flight three-year-old. That hope is H. W. Maxwell's Moonshot, a son of Chasterton which won two of three races last year, all at Aqueduct. Moonshot is unsound, however, and may never get to the post.

### SWIMMERS HERE PREPARE BRIEFS

### Major Hockey Loop Leaders

Leaders in the various departments in the National Hockey League follow:

### CANADIAN SECTION

Standing—Canadiens, won 12, lost 8, tied 2; points, 26. Points—Schriner, Americans, 9 goals, 12 assists, 21 points. Goals—Gagnon, Canadiens, 12. Assists—Chapman, Americans, 13. Penalties—Shields, Americans, 63 minutes.

Shutouts—Worster, Americans; Connell, Maroons, 2 each.

### UNITED STATES SECTION

Standing—Rangers and Detroit, each won 11, lost 6, tied 4; points, 26. Points—Aurie, Detroit, 13 goals, 9 assists, 22 points. Goals—Aurie, Detroit, 13. Penalties—Seibert, Chicago, 36 minutes.

Shutouts—Karakas, Chicago; Kerr, Rangers, 3 each.

### PERRY-VINES DRAW 16,000

Pro Tennis Match at New York Tonight Expected to Gross \$53,000

New York, Jan. 6.—Fred Perry, who developed a lot of sales resistance in the last few years by turning down one fabulous offer after another to become a tennis professional, is expected to cash in on his amateur fame to the extent of about \$15,000 tonight.

The British star, who refused to give up his amateur status until there was no doubt as to his being the world's best amateur player, faces Ellsworth Vines, rated the world's best pro, at Madison Square Garden in the first match of a long series.

Lured to the first public meeting between the ranking stars since 1932, a capacity crowd of 16,000 fans is expected to pour around \$53,000 into the pockets of the players and promoters Frank Hunter and S. Howard Voshell. The ticket price schedule ranges from \$1.10 for the top gallery seats up to \$9.90.

Although the experts are almost unanimous in predicting Vines will win the opening encounter easily, Perry will get the larger share of the "gate." It is understood he is to get thirty-seven and one-half per cent of the net receipts, while Vines, whose income fell off last year because of lack of opposition, will take twelve and one-half per cent.

### Tillicum Club Meeting Jan. 12

The thirteenth annual general meeting of the Tillicum Athletic Club will be held in the clubrooms, Douglas Street, Tuesday evening, January 12, at 8 o'clock. All members are asked to attend.

### THISTLES WORKOUT

The Spanish Thistle Football Club will hold a workout tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the J.B.A.A. Hall at the Gorge. All players are asked to turn out.

### HOCKEY STANDINGS

N. H. L.

Canadian Section

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Canadiens	12	8	2	6	14	36
Maroons	9	8	4	11	46	22
Toronto	11	9	2	4	48	19
Americans	6	14	2	4	48	19

American Section

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Rangers	11	6	4	5	28	26
Detroit	11	6	4	5	28	26
Boston	10	7	3	5	26	23
Chicago	4	10	6	2	29	14

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Portland	10	5	3	4	29	23
Vancouver	6	6	6	4	40	18
Oakland	11	7	3	5	26	23
Seattle	6	9	2	4	33	14

WRESTLING

New Haven—Gino Garibaldi, 218. St. Louis, defeated Ed Meske, 218.

Akron, Ohio (two out of three falls). Reading, Pa.—Sammy Cohen, 210. Chicago, defeated King Kong, 210.

Kentucky. (Counted out after thrown through ropes.) Harrisburg, Pa.—Hank Barber, 222. Hanover, N.H., threw Rudy Dusek, 218. Omaha (22.05).

Chicago—Everett Marshall, La Junta, Colo., threw Jim McMillen, Antioch, Ill., back drop, 133.98.

San Francisco—Man Mountain Dean, 317. Los Angeles, defeated Bill Longson, 212. Salt Lake.

### B.C. Commission to Hold Seven Sessions at Crystal Garden on Saturday in Effort to Overcome Differences in Local Camp

Swimming factions in Victoria prepared briefs today for submission to the special provincial commission which will investigate the Capital's troubles here on Saturday.

New arrangements have been made for the visit of representatives of the B.C. section of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association. Instead of a three-day session, starting Friday and continuing through Sunday, the commission will sit all day Saturday, hearing points of view at seven different sessions.

The commission, headed by A. H. J. Swenicki, Vancouver, will listen to the briefs of both senior and junior groups of the city's three clubs individually, the younger swimmers appearing in the morning and the seniors in the afternoon. In the evening a general meeting will be held at which some decision may be announced. All sessions are scheduled for the Crystal Garden.

Swimming enthusiasts not directly concerned in the matters to be reviewed by the commission, look forward hopefully for a settlement of the disputes which, they feel, have hindered the development of the game here during the year.

### DIVISION AT PRESENT

At present the local aquatic house is divided. The Y.M.C.A. and the Pacific Swimming Club stand on one side representing the Vancouver Island Swimming League, and the V.A.S.C. on the other.

The difficulties, which were revived early last year when the V.A.S.C. split away from the league to run its own show, were heightened late in 1936 when the league sent representative relays to a Vancouver gala and the V.A.S.C. protested on the grounds the exclusion of its members, who were not affiliated with the league, left the relays without a complete representation.

Reconciliation of the opposing factions is greatly desired in view of the fact Victoria is regarded as the most suitable location for the British Empire Games trials at the end of this year. With a united front, the local aquatic circles would be in a position to stage the trials successfully, while a division might work to the detriment of the city in securing the tests.

### FRED STEELE IN NEW YORK

Tacoma Holder of Middleweight Ring Title Ready to Fight Anyone

New York, Jan. 6.—Freddie Steele, the middleweight king, brooded into town yesterday ready to take on Babe Risko, or anyone else, as the first promoter who'll lay the money on the line.

Manager Dave Miller will open negotiations both with Madison Square Garden and the Twentieth Century Sporting Club for Steele's New York debut, probably in February.

Right now Miller's demands are far out of line with what New York promoters consider just, but James J. Johnston, Garden maestro, thinks this week's pow-wow will bring about an agreement.

For Steele to defend his title against Risko, the former champ, in the Garden Miller wants a \$25,000 guarantee, plus transportation for three from the west coast and return and \$5,000 for training expenses.

For a non-title bout he'll take considerably less. The comparatively small seating capacity of the Hippodrome probably will preclude a title match from being staged there.

Johnston, who announced last week a Steele-Risko show was in the bag, said he spoke prematurely, but added he is certain the Garden will land the match before the end of the week.

Steele is fresh from his victory over Gorilla Jones in Milwaukee, January 1.

### Varsity Cagers Suffer Setback

Ellensburg, Jan. 6.—Ellensburg Normal School quintette last night defeated the University of British Columbia 46 to 28. At half-time the score was Ellensburg 20, U.B.C. 7.

Yandenbrink, forward, and Faust, guard for Ellensburg, each scored nine points. Bardsley, forward for U.B.C., made seven points.







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## ALBERTA HAS NEW MINISTER

Hon. N. E. Tanner Takes Over Lands and Mines As Hon. C. C. Ross Quits

**Canadian Press**  
Edmonton, Jan. 6.—Hon. Nathan E. Tanner, thirty-eight-year-old school teacher from Cardston, is Alberta's new Minister of Lands and Mines. He was sworn in yesterday, a few minutes after Premier William Aberhart had accepted the resignation of Hon. C. C. Ross.

The Premier would give no reason for the resignation of Mr. Ross, who has held the portfolio since the Social Crediters swept the provincial election in August, 1935.

"Are there any other cabinet changes contemplated," the Premier was asked.

"I have no announcement to make at the present," he said.

Mr. Ross did not resign his seat, Athabasca, in the Legislature. The Premier said, but only his portfolio.

The resignation of Mr. Ross had been reported in political circles since December 21, but neither he nor the Premier confirmed it.

According to this report, the resignation was requested by Premier Aberhart December 29 at a conference in Calgary and was tendered to take effect December 31.

Mr. Tanner said his policy as Minister of Lands and Mines would be "to develop natural resources and industries within the province for the benefit of the people as a whole."

**BORN AT SALT LAKE**  
The new minister was born at Salt Lake City, Utah, May 9, 1898, and came to Canada as a child. His parents were Mormons and he is a bishop in that church, a position that corresponds roughly to that of a congregational minister in the Presbyterian or United.

Mr. Tanner was educated at Cardston, the location of the largest Mormon temple in Canada, and the corresponding Canadian centre to Salt Lake City.

For the last fourteen years he has been a school teacher, although he resigned as principal of the Cardston public school in June, 1935, to take part in the provincial election.

At the first session under the social credit government, Mr. Tanner was elected Speaker of the Legislature, a position vacated by his elevation to the cabinet.

Mr. Ross, who holds a degree in science, has been active in mining development in Canada for years. Born in Ottawa, he attended McGill University, Montreal.

Mr. Ross has never been identified with the Social Credit organization, apart from his seat in the House and membership in the government.

**CONGRATULATIONS GIVEN**  
Calgary, Jan. 6.—In a statement issued early today, C. C. Ross, former member of the Alberta cabinet whose resignation was accepted yesterday, said:

"It is true I tendered my resignation as Minister of Lands and Mines. This step was not taken without due consideration. It was prompted by very good and proper reasons.

"The one who should disclose those reasons is the Premier.

"Of course I am still, and will continue to be, the member for Athabasca."

Mr. Ross extended congratulations to Hon. Nathan E. Tanner, his successor, who formerly was Speaker of the Legislature. He wished Mr. Tanner success and good luck.

## Protection On Gold Clauses

Legislation Will Safeguard Canadians Against Paying Premiums on Bonds

**Canadian Press**  
Ottawa, Jan. 6.—Legislation will be introduced at the coming session of Parliament to protect bondholders under Canadian law from having to pay premiums because of gold clauses in bonds. Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Finance, so stated yesterday evening when asked by the Canadian Press.

The legislation will be in line with the understanding reached by the Dominion-provincial finance committee last month. It will be designed to allow bondholders with obligations governed by the laws of Canada and containing the gold clause to discharge their debts by payment of the face amount in legal tender.

The legislation has been made particularly advisable because of a recent decision of the British Court of Appeal in the international trustee case.

Mr. Dunning explained. Without such legislation on the statute books in Canada the Dominion and provinces might be called on to redeem their bonds at \$1.09 for every \$1 of face value.

The decision of the British court, however, was that the gold clause was the measure of the obligation, not the method of payment. Therefore if gold was at a premium as compared with legal tender, the premium would have to be paid if the bond was redeemed in legal tender.

**PAST PRACTICE**  
In the past, it is understood, the Canadian government and others who had issued gold bonds had relied on the assumption that holders of bonds could not demand payment in gold because of the restrictions governing the possession and disposal of gold in this country. Therefore they would have to accept legal tender for the face value.

The decision of the British court, however, was that the gold clause was the measure of the obligation, not the method of payment. Therefore if gold was at a premium as compared with legal tender, the premium would have to be paid if the bond was redeemed in legal tender.

**PAYABLE IN NEW YORK**  
Mr. Dunning explained this British case involved an obligation of the British government on bonds maturing next February 1 and payable in New York in gold coins of the United States of a specified standard and weight and fineness.

"The decision of the Court of Appeal," said Mr. Dunning, "was that the obligation being an obligation of the British government, was governed by the law of England and that the British government was obliged to pay in New York principal and interest of such bonds in the dollar equivalent of such gold coin, being at the rate of about \$1.09 in present currency of the United States for each \$1 of indebtedness."

"As the Canadian Parliament has passed no legislation such as public resolution number ten of the United States Congress, relieving debtors for paying the monetary equivalent of gold, this decision has created uncertainty as to the liability of the Dominion and other Canadian debtors in respect of gold clause obligations."

**REQUESTED BY PROVINCES**  
Mr. Dunning was asked whether, in view of the uncertainty created by this decision and the unjust burden which would be imposed on Canadian debtors if they were required to pay a premium of approximately 9 per cent over the face amount of their obligations, it was the intention of the Dominion government to pass legislation such as had been requested by representatives of all provincial governments at the recent meeting of the National Finance Committee.

In reply he said: "It is the intention of the government to introduce at the forthcoming session of Parliament legislation designed to allow bondholders with obligations governed by the law of Canada and containing the gold clause to discharge their debts by payment of the face amount thereof in legal tender."

Should the decision of the British court be applied to Canada it would mean that all bonds of the Dominion and provincial governments would be under Canadian law regardless of where payable, and therefore would not be covered by the protecting legislation in the United States.

## Bowling Scores

OLYMPIC ALLEYS  
WOMEN'S COMMERCIAL FIFTEEN LEAGUE

Beacon Hill—M. Seymour 447, Mrs. Cole 382, Mrs. Jeffrey 356, Mrs. Hurry 357, M. Kiley 465, handicap 291, Total 3,369.

Die Arts—J. Young 354, F. Hall 350, L. Collins 494, E. Carley 458, low score 352, handicap 357, Total 2,513.

Die Arts won three.

Easy Aces—Mrs. L. Burgess 368, Mrs. B. Groll 256, Mrs. C. Burley 274, Mrs. E. McBeath 382, handicap 417, Total 1,797.

Coast Hardware—L. Goodman 447, K. Goodman 352, T. Artus 247, J. Johns 385, handicap 188, Total 1,819.

Coast Hardware won two.

Radiants—A. Mathews 449, P. Ferguson 470, M. O'Neil 412, V. Noes 362, low score 422, handicap 228, Total 2,549.

Olympians—Bentley 448, E. Bamford 362, H. Leeson 384, G. Benson 514, K. Keen 372, handicap 609, Total 2,554.

Olympians won two.

Lucky 13's—M. Armstrong 464, E. Macdonald 481, E. Ames 412, K. White 354, L. Whyte 442, handicap 31, Total 2,548.

Lucky 13's won three by default.

**SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE**  
Watson's Men's—J. Ferrie 554, W. Johnston 551, B. Morrison 530, P. Stewart 518, B. Taylor 545, Total 2,698.

Strath's Ltd.—A. Porter 604, A. Swank 541, H. Mackenzie 501, P. Ferguson 555, J. Hogg 487, Total 2,712.

Strath's Ltd. won two.

Times—R. Elwood 532, A. Caddell 514, H. Jealous 547, M. Lawson 523, R. Will 520, Total 2,639.

Olympians—A. White 612, H. Moulton 523, S. Steele 546, low score 492, low score 523, Total 2,781.

Olympians won two.

**TIMES FIFTEEN LEAGUE**  
Classifiers—Edison 352, Mason 438, Douglas 525, Jealous 571, Moore 600, Total 2,446.

Classifiers—Mrs. Carley 499, F. Ueharth 424, C. Macdonald 557, W. Yeaman 516, Displays won two.

Keytappers—E. Bradshaw 512, E. Whitten 394, B. Levy 597, C. Trevers 489, G. Cliff 624, Total 2,523.

Circuiters—Mrs. Macdonald 491, T. McDonald 603, A. Jones 446, J. Caddell 644, C. White 581, Total 2,641.

Circuiters won two.

Headlines—M. Shemilt 548, H. Sargison 473, Mrs. Stewart 341, J. Simpson 539, W. McNeil 419, Total 2,529.

Lineaters—Miss Forbes 379, H. Minckler 521, E. Wells 536, Mrs. Simpson 565, S. Jenkins 620, Total 2,533.

Lineaters won two.

**C.Y.F.C. FIFTEEN LEAGUE**  
Red Devils—J. Kinsinger 317, B. Mair 628, M. Harman 519, B. Collins 519, low score 317, Total 2,383.

Tigers—D. Atwood 623, E. Kinsinger 386, J. Charles 493, A. Dunnett 671, A. Scarborough 464, Total 2,569.

Tigers won two.

Little Wonders—S. Collins 553, Len Kinsinger 321, Fred Greaves 440, Bob Holley 480, Total 2,197.

Morries—J. Grant 509, F. Delmas 427, Total 2,456.

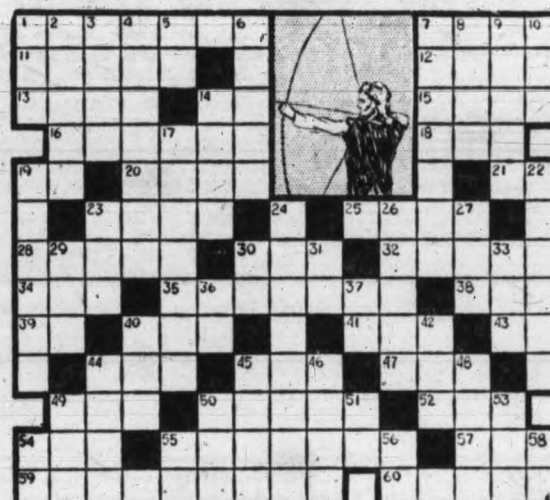
S. Hynes 351, T. Leahy 571, Total 2,456.

Morries won three.

Flashers—Gerry O'Neill 526, Kay Barnes 392, Tom O'Connell 412, Street 461, Fred Doherty 458, Total 2,353.

Flashers won three by default.

## Today's Crossword Puzzle



**HORIZONTAL**  
1. 7 Legendary archer.  
11 Imbecile.  
12 Instrument.  
13 Wigwag.  
14 Therefore.  
15 Short letter.  
16 To accompany.  
18 To harden.  
19 Morinda dye.  
20 Epochs.  
21 All right.  
25 Having no head hair.  
28 Beseeches.  
30 Bustle.  
32 Customary.  
34 Gibbon.  
35 Not recognized.  
36 Nothing.  
39 Type standard.  
40 Also.  
41 To strike.  
43 Myself.  
44 Child.  
45 Meat.  
47 Point.  
49 To handle.  
50 To take aside.

**VERTICAL**  
52 Meadow.  
54 English coin.  
55 To foreknow.  
57 River.  
59 He refused to salute the (pl.).  
60 He was—  
1. Humor.  
2. Perfect pattern.  
3. Cotton staple.  
4 Prize scheme.  
5 Neuter pronoun.  
6 Whims.  
7 Throat masses.  
8 Tree.  
9 Game.  
10 Sheltered place.  
14 Dress fastener.  
17 Corrosion.  
19 He shot an— from his.  
22 He— his governor.  
23 Auto.  
24 Pagan.  
26 Report of accounts.  
27 Payment demand.  
28 Male sheep.  
30 Form of "a".  
31 Either.  
32 Intention.  
36 To depart.  
37 Inquiry sound.  
40 Plaything.  
42 Senae.  
43 Slova.  
45 Valiant man.  
46 Muddle.  
48 Fairy.  
49 Golf teacher.  
50 To put on.  
51 Musical note.  
53 Sutha.  
54 Bashan king.  
55 French term.  
56 Electrical term.  
58 Bone.

## Brother Andre Called By Death

**Canadian Press**  
Montreal, Jan. 6.—Brother Andre, the "miracle man of Montreal," died early today.

The chronic ailment that had kept the ninety-one-year-old holy man in almost continual pain since childhood took him at 12.50 a.m. while priests and sisters chanted prayers at his bedside.

He had been seriously ill since the New Year from the acute dyspepsia that had reduced his sustenance to little more than bread and water for most of his life, even when he was building the great \$4,000,000 shrine on Mount Royal from the contributions of millions of pilgrims.

**UNITED BY THOUSANDS**  
The shrine, built in honor of the little brother's patron saint, Joseph, was known all over the continent, and the thousands who came yearly venerated his self-effacing builder and ascribed miraculous healing powers to his very touch.

In mute testimony to the cures many said were worked upon them, they left at the shrine, atop the towering hill that overlooks Montreal, the crutches, canes and braces on which they had hobbled up the long hillside for the prayers of the pious "miracle man."

Brother Andre, humble as the day he scrubbed floors and mended boys' clothes in St. Laurent College, disclaimed all their tributes. "I am nothing and have done nothing."

For some time it has been regarded as virtually certain that Brother Andre would make formal application to Rome for his canonization as a saint of the Roman Catholic Church.

**Grand Slam Despite Odds**  
West's Five Trump, Against Four Each of Dummy and Declarer, Fail to Make Single Trick

At the bridge table one often hears the lament, "The trumps were stacked against me," as an excuse for failure to fulfill a contract. Generally speaking, it is a perfectly good excuse, but today's hand presents a contrast, in that the declarer finds one opponent with more trumps than she herself holds, and more than dummy as well, and still makes her contract of a small slam.

**SOLUTION TO PREVIOUS CONTRACT PROBLEM**  
South did not feel strong enough

At 10975  
♥ 76542  
♦ 9753  
♣ 4  
♠ 109876

At 83  
♥ None  
♦ 642  
♣ K Q J 10  
♠ 9876

Rubber—E & W. vul.  
South West North East  
2♥ Pass 1♥ Pass  
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## FINE PICTURE AT DOMINION

Joel McCrea and Barbara Stanwyck Star in "Banjo on My Knee"

Fighting and singing, laughing and loving, temptuously living their own lives in their shanty-boat colony in the lower Mississippi River, the primitive and picturesque characters in the Twentieth Century-Fox drama with music, "Banjo on My Knee," enact a story that provides distinctly different screen fare, which will be enthusiastically approved by every type of audience.

Distinguished by its fine production qualities, a new trend in song and melody, this picture which combines the locale of "Tobacco Road," with the atmosphere of "Steamboat Round the Bend," has also been ideally cast with Barbara Stanwyck and Joel McCrea co-starring in the leading roles, and with the very important supporting characterizations entrusted to such talented and popular players as Helen Westley, Buddy Ebsen, Walter Brennan, Walter Catlett, Anthony Martin and Katherine de Mille.

The story of the film, which opens at the Dominion Theatre today, begins on the shanty boat of Walter Brennan, whose son, Joel McCrea, is about to marry Barbara Stanwyck, a "land girl." Brennan is entertaining the guests playing his one-man band "contraption." Everyone is merry except Katherine de Mille who wanted Kilian himself. Victor Kilian, who buys the fish catches of the colony, tries to kiss Barbara and Joel knocks him into the river. Searchers cannot find Kilian and Joel decamps, believing himself a murderer.

Kilian is not drowned but Joel is far at sea and is not heard from for six months.

**MAE WEST AT THE ATLAS**

For the first time since making her screen debut, Mae West sings a straight romantic ballad, with words and melody reflecting moonlight and honeysuckle, in "Go West Young Man," her latest comedy, which is being shown at the Atlas Theatre today. The song is titled "I Was Sayin' To The Moon," and she sings it to Randolph Scott.

The second feature, "Wives Never Know," presents Charles Ruggles and Mary Boland in splendid comedy roles.

**PLAZA THEATRE**  
Comedy is the most teasingly intangible of screen values. So far as Hollywood goes, it just doesn't exist—it's the audience alone that can make it tangible.

Such is the conviction of one of the most successful of all film-makers of laughs, in celluloid. It is the statement of Sam Wood, who, because of past comedy successes, was chosen to direct the Marx Brothers in their Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer hit, "A Night at the Opera," now at the Plaza Theatre.

**CAPITOL THEATRE**  
Against a background of international intrigue, with Scotland Yard detectives close on their heels in a mad dash over the map of Europe, Joan Crawford and Clark Gable appear in their new starring Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, "Love on the Run," now at the Capitol Theatre.

**COLUMBIA THEATRE**  
"Footlight Parade" is at the Columbia Theatre today.

The picture is a gigantic musical spectacle with a well-knit comedy drama plot written by Manuel Seff and James Seymour. The dance numbers and ensembles were created and staged by Busby Berkeley.

**OAK BAY THEATRE**  
It takes more than the south and its languorous atmosphere, or sleepless nights to rob Fats Waller, that famous purveyor of eccentric rhythms, of his pep.

Waller, who is featured in the all-star cast of "King of Burlesque," now at the Oak Bay Theatre, arrived in Hollywood at 8 o'clock of the morning on which production began.

By 9 o'clock he was at work, and before 10 o'clock he had learned, played and sung three songs.

**Where To Go Tonight**  
As Advertised  
ATLAS—Nova Pilbeam in "Nine Days a Queen."  
CAPITOL—Joan Crawford in "Love on the Run."  
COLUMBIA—"Footlight Parade," starring Jimmy Cagney.  
DOMINION—"The Gay Desperado," with Nino Martin.  
OAK BAY—"King of Burlesque," starring Warner Baxter.  
PLAZA—"Night at the Opera," with the Marx Bros.

**Today's Contract Problem**  
South has the contract for three no trump. He has won the opening lead in dummy, and while the making of nine tricks looks difficult, it is not impossible. What should be his next play?

♠ A J 10 8 4  
♥ 6 2  
♦ A 5 3  
♣ A K Q

♠ Q 9 3  
♥ A J 10  
♦ K 9  
♣ 10 9 8 7 6

♠ K 2  
♥ 5 4 3  
♦ Q 10 7 6  
♣ 4

♠ 7 6 5  
♥ K Q 9 8 7  
♦ J 8 2  
♣ J 2

All vul. Opener—♠ 10.  
Solution in next issue. 16

ace of clubs, and then one round of trumps disclosed that West held five. This required an immediate change of plan.

Mrs. Norris led a small spade to the queen, cashed the ace and king of diamonds, then the jack of spades, and returned to her own hand with the ace of spades. She then led the king of spades, discarding the ten of diamonds in dummy.

Now it was a simple matter to ruff her losing diamonds in dummy, and dummy's losing clubs in her own hand, and she found herself making not only six, but seven.

It is interesting to note that North and South could not make six spades, even though all the trumps were piked up by straight leads.

The first trick was won with the

**OAK BAY**  
LAST TIMES TODAY

**KING OF BURLESQUE**  
LAST TIMES TODAY

**ATLAS**  
LAST TIMES TODAY

**DOMINION**  
LAST TIMES TODAY

**PLAZA**  
LAST TIMES TODAY

**COLUMBIA**  
LAST TIMES TODAY

## DOMINION

TOMORROW  
SHOWING FOR 3 DAYS ONLY

Barbara Stanwyck  
Joel McCrea

"BANJO ON MY KNEE"

WITH  
WALTER BRENNAN  
HELEN WESTLEY  
ANTHONY MARTIN  
Katherine DeMILLE

ALSO... A MAD AND MERRY ROMANCE... FROM BARGAIN BASEMENT COUNTER TO SEVENTH HEAVEN IN ONE BREATHLESS MOMENT... SWEET, TENDER AND GAY AS ANY YOU'VE EVER THRILLED TO!

20c 12-1  
25c 1-4  
30c 5-10

**"Along Came Love"**

WITH  
IRENE HERVEY  
CHARLES STARRETT  
DORIS KENYON • H. B. WARNER  
IRENE FRANKLIN

ENDS TODAY

Nino Martini • Leo Carrillo • Ida Lupino in "THE GAY DESPERADO" Also: "THE PRESIDENT'S MYSTERY"

**CAPITOL**  
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SHOWING TODAY AND THURSDAY ONLY  
DAILY AT 12:30, 2:00, 3:30, 5:15, 7:00, 9:00  
THRILL-PAKED, MADCAP, ROUGH-AND-READY ROMANCE FILLED WITH LAUGHTER!

Joan Crawford Clark Gable in  
"LOVE ON THE RUN"

WITH  
FRANCHOT TONE • REGINALD OWEN

ALSO  
NIGHTS  
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Cartoon in Color  
"Crime Doesn't Pay"  
News

COMING FRIDAY  
"3 MEN ON A HORSE"

Frank McHugh • Joan Blondell • Guy Kibbee • Allen Jenkins

**ATLAS**

ALL ROADS LEAD THERE!  
WEST EAST  
DOWN ON THE FARM... and that's where all the fun is!

Mae West  
in "Go West Young Man"

Warren William, Randolph Scott, Lyle Talbot, Alice Brady

ATLAS

Wives Never Know, 11:51, 2:41, 5:31, 8:21. "Go West Young Man," 2:30, 5:30, 8:10, 11:00

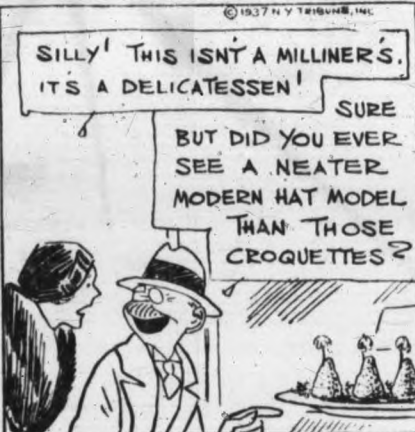
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Mr. And Mrs.



Don't Be Too Hasty In Offering Criticism

Dorothy Dix

Says Be Sure You Can Do The Job

NOT MUCH HAS COME out of Germany in the last few years, that the balance of the world has felt like cheering, but one official decree has been issued that contains a great and constructive idea. All literary and theatrical criticism, has been abolished and those who think that they know more about painting and writing than the artists who do it are told to show what they can do themselves. In other words, put up or shut up.



Naturally, this is a silencer, for it is one thing to point out somebody else's blunders and quite another pair of sleeves to give a perfect performance ourselves. Any penny-a-liner can show you just what is wrong with the construction of Shakespeare's plays. Every armchair strategist who never even smelled gunpowder knows just where the high commands blundered in the Great War. And the men who know exactly how to balance the budget are those who can never live within their own income.

Of course, criticizing our friends and neighbors and the way in which things in general are run is our favorite indoor and outdoor sport, and our style will be terribly cramped if we have to keep mum until we show how much better we could do it. But, still and all, it is not to be denied that it will make the world a more peaceful place in which to live.

In particular, it will make for domestic harmony if the critics on the hearth can be muzzled until they exhibit in their own proper persons the superiority of their tastes, habits and manners over our own. Many a family row will be saved if before father condemns John for being a playboy he can show that he wastes no time over golf and is not addicted to night life himself. Nor will mother make sour comments to Susan about the kind of people she runs with unless her own where she got that hat and if her worst enemy picked it out for her unless she is perfectly sure that she never had a millinery brainstorm herself.

So far as husbands and wives are concerned, the substitution of performance for criticism will do away with divorce and usher in the matrimonial millennium. For most of the squabbles between married couples are over household problems to which they do not know the answer, but which each thinks the other should solve right off the bat.

Take wives' standard grievances against their husbands, for instance—that their husbands take them for granted and no longer keep up the high-pressure love-making that they did during courtship; that their husbands complain that they are tired and do not want to go out of evenings; that their husbands slump into their papers after dinner and sit up as silent as dummies; that their husbands do not furnish them with as much money as they want. Millions of men are married to women who are continually nagging them about one or the other of all of these shortcomings. But suppose before friend Wife began criticizing her husband's weaknesses she had to go out and make good on all these counts and show that she is a better man than he is.

Suppose she had to show that she was so peculiarly constructed that she could continue to thrill and be romantic for twenty-five or thirty years at a stretch. Suppose she had to show that she could be gay and rested and pleasure-seeking after a grueling day's work and still want to chatter after she had worn her tongue out persuading and jollying and arguing with clients and customers. Suppose she had to show that she was a better business man and money-maker than her husband. Wouldn't it stop many a woman's fault-finding with her husband?

And take men's standard grievances against their wives—that their wives are poor cooks and bad managers; that their wives are extravagant; that their wives get fat and dull and lose their allure.

Well, suppose before the husband got out his hammer for his wife he had to give a life-like imitation of what a wife should be. Suppose he had to show that he could make better bread than his mother used to make, suppose he had to show that he could perform some sort of a conjure trick that would draw down good meals out of the air and keep the children's shoes from wearing out and the butcher from sending in any bills. Suppose he had to show that he could do a hard day's washing and cooking and baby-tending and still look like a Lady Love at night. Would husbands be so critical of their wives?

Suppose before father criticized mother for letting the baby howl he had to show he could stop it, and before mother blamed father for letting the adolescent children run wild he said: "Show me." What future forbearance there would be. It is a great idea—that of showing you can do it before you criticize the way the other fellow is doing it.

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## Uncle Ray's Corner

### The Story of China—Old Religious Beliefs

At about the same time Confucius was teaching in China, another famous man was at work in India. He was born a prince, and went by the name of "Gautama" (also spelled "Gotama"). He spent most of the years of his long life preaching to Hindus and others in his native land.

Let us live happily. Let us not hate those who hate us.

"Let a man overcome anger by love. Let him overcome evil by doing good. Let him overcome the greedy by being kind. Let him overcome lies by telling the truth."

Buddhism did not spread to China until about 500 years after the death of the Buddha. Then a Chinese ruler invited missionaries to come from India and teach the meaning of the faith.

Some of the Chinese people liked the Buddhist teachings, and within a few hundred years the religion spread far and wide. Thousands of men became monks or priests, and great numbers of monasteries and temples were built. The temples were of the pagoda type, and are common in present-day China.

The Buddhist church has split into many branches, and the beliefs of one branch are not quite the same as those of another. There are certain commandments, however, which are common to Buddhists in general, and these include:

"Thou shalt not lie. Thou shalt not steal. Thou shalt not drink alcoholic liquor. Thou shalt not be stingy. Thou shalt not be angry."

Tomorrow—The Chows and the Grand Canal. (Copyright 1937, Publishers Syndicate)

### POLITE CHILDREN REWARDED

Paris, Mo. (Canadian Press)—An annual custom since 1922, when Henry J. Boatner left a fund for the purpose, Liza Sproul, aged eight, and George Nevins, thirteen, were awarded prizes of \$10 as the most polite and courteous children in the city.

The seven chief causes of home fires, according to insurance companies, are defective chimneys and flues; combustible roofs easily ignited by sparks; gasoline, kerosene and similar combustible materials; matches and smoking; stoves, furnaces and heating apparatus; hot ashes and coals, and electrical appliances.

Bringing Up Father



Boots And Her Buddies



Alley Oop



Ella Cinders



The Gumps



Tarzan And the Leopard Men



Behago, chief of the pygmy village, regarded the approaching strangers with suspicion and malice. Hardly were they within halting distance when he called: "Your hands are empty. I see no presents for Behago." "You'll have presents if you do as I say," Behago replied.

"What?" snapped the pygmy. "Keep the white woman hidden here for a few days, the other returned. "No," granted Behago, "our own women give us enough trouble. "But I will give you much food," Behago promised, "meat, plantain, fish, meat—great stores of food."

Behago was pleased. His tribe has ravaged by hunger, for a great drought had fallen upon the land. The fruits had dried on the trees. Game had left the forest. So, after arranging to bring food next day for a great feast, Behago and his warriors departed.

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